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HITTING HIM HARD.

English Diplomats are Trying to Isolate the Kaiser.

ALLIANCES BEING FORMED.

Genuine Grief Is Displayed Over Prince Henry's Death.

ALL LONDON IN MOURNING.

Bulletins Displayed About the Health of the Queen.

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LONDON, Jan. 25.—It is difficult to imagine a more complicated and uncertain political situation than the one which is now being studied by the statesmen of Europe. Except the reported alliance between Russia and Turkey is the myth it is said to be, north and south, east and west, everywhere the state of uncertainty as to the future prevails, and the general public, it would seem, must for some time to come be content with being allowed to await developments.

Rumors of alliances and counter-alliances fill the air and crowd the newspapers, but until the shuffling of the cards has been completed and the hands are arranged for the game of bluff and grab believed to be arranged between the powers it will be difficult to be definitely decided who are partners and who are their opponents.

But one thing seems to gleam out clearly from the fog of diplomacy, and that is that a rearrangement of the European enjoglements is being engineered, if it is not in progress, or even an accomplished fact, and there are persons here who intimate that when the deal is completed Germany, and not Great Britain, will be the "isolated" power of Europe.

This is said to be borne out by the "concessions" Great Britain has made to France and may have made to Russia.

But, of course, this is simply one way of looking at it, and it is by no means certain that it is the right way.

PRINCE HENRY'S DEATH.

The social world is also laboring under a cloud almost as black as the one overshadowing the world of politics.

This is caused by the sudden death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, son-in-law of Queen Victoria, while on his way to the island of Madeira on board the British cruiser Blonden, from Cape Coast Castle, West Africa, in an effort to recover from an attack of African fever.

The news caused a great shock to everybody in court circles, and to society in general, and has resulted in a complete up-heaval of social fixtures. No drawing rooms or social entertainments of any kind will be held while court is in mourning, which will be for at least six weeks.

The death of Prince Henry, it is pointed out, has shown him to be an extremely popular young man among those who knew him, and even those who did not have that pleasure have nothing but kind words for the soldier who died for Great Britain, even if his death was from sickness, instead of on the field of battle, as he would undoubtedly have preferred.

His sad end, likened to that of the Prince Imperial of France, has recalled the old story that Princess Beatrice might have been wedded to the son of ex-Empress Eugenie had he not met his death while fighting with the British against the Zulus, and so there is much romantic sympathy expressed for the widowed princess who seems to have twice had her heart wrung with sorrow as a result of British wars in Africa.

The telegrams received from Osborne since the news of the death of Prince Henry was made known there show that both the Queen and Princess Beatrice were terribly overwhelmed by the evil tidings from Sierra Leone.

The Princess was prostrated throughout Wednesday, and did not dine with the royal family, and remained in her bedroom until 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

When she reappeared, it was noticed that the Princess bore deep traces of a night spent in weeping for the dead, and she seemed almost heart-broken when her children were taken to greet her.

Princess Beatrice spent the afternoon with the Queen, who did everything possible to console her, although her Majesty suffered greatly herself.

Bulletins, which from time to time were posted outside the gates of Osborne house, stated that the Queen and her daughter were intensely affected, but that her Majesty's health was not menaced.

These announcements were made necessary by the alarming reports circulated on the Stock Exchange.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The police authorities of Scotland Yard are congratulating themselves on the remarkable absence of crime which has pervaded in the metropolis during the past year. The annual police report which will shortly be issued shows that London, in its freedom from the effects of law-breakers, has made a record which may well be envied by the governments of all large cities.

Mr. Bartlett, who accompanied Smith M. Weed to London in the interests of the Nicaraguan Canal Company, sails for New York this week. He has been busily engaged in conducting financial negotiations connected with the canal, the nature of which still remains a secret. Mr. Bartlett, talking the matter over with a representative of the Associated Press, said:

"The recent war scare has done much to hinder my work. But the controversy between England and the United States has not interfered with my mission so seriously as the uproar caused by the German Emperor's action regarding the South African complications. Although these conditions have delayed negotiations, you may say that matters are progressing favorably."

THE THEATERS.

Business at the leading theaters has been good throughout the week, although the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, followed by the court going into mourning, has affected the attendance in the most fashionable theaters, but crowded houses are still the order of the day at the Haymarket, where the interest in "Trilby" has not in the least abated, at the Lyric "The Sign of the Cross" is nightly turning away money, and at the St. James, where George Alexander has if not a wholly artistic, at least a monetary success.

The other theaters, the Criterion, Garrick and Savoy, are doing more than the average business with "The Squire of Dames," "The Professor's Love Story" and the "Mikado" respectively.

Charles Wyndham has again been commanded to appear before the Queen, and would have produced his successful "The Squire of Dames" at Osborne Monday evening, January 27th, had it not been for the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg. Mr. Wyndham has always been a favorite with royalty.

The new play by J. M. Barrie, of which E. S. Willard had the refusal, proves on its completion to be much better adapted for exploiting an actress than an actor. In view of this fact, Mr. Willard has waived his rights to the piece, and overtures were made to Marion Terry to take the play, but an arrangement which was precluded by her prior engagement with Forbes Robertson. It is now hinted that it will be offered to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Terry upon the expiration of their contract with John Hare in America.

The first performance of Fergus Hume's new play "The Fool of the Family" will be given tonight at the Duke of York's Theater. Mr. Cartwright has in the new piece a strong comedy part, and H. B. Irving and Gertrude Kingston, in their respective characters, will be seen to great advantage.

The recent stirring political events have been a godsend to managers exploiting military dramas. All the houses presenting such plays have been doing an extremely large business. Lieutenant Stewart Gordon, R. N., has collaborated with Leonard Outram in the preparation of "True Blue," a nautical drama, which will be produced at the Olympia under the management of Sir Augustus Harris whenever "Cheer, Boys, Cheer" shows signs of waning popularity. The new play is replete with stirring events, and will illustrate in a forcible manner what actual life is on board a man-of-war.

Mrs. Catherine Fisk, the American contralto, has won golden opinions by her rendition of "Delilah" at Glasgow.

DEEPEN THE CHANNEL.

The Board of Trade Is Anxious About Oakland's Harbor.

Forcible Resolutions Adopted in Favor of the Estuary.

The Board of Trade is proving itself to be awake to the necessities of the community. It has determined to do everything possible to improve the estuary, and at a special meeting held yesterday afternoon, resolutions were passed asking the Government to proceed with this all-important work.

The agitation which has been thus well started will be maintained, and as Senator Perkins and Congressman Hilborn are both residents of Oakland, they thoroughly comprehend the situation and will keep their pledges to push the matter in every way possible.

The resolutions adopted yesterday will have much weight, coming as they do from a representative body of citizens. They are in full as follows:

"Whereas: The Government of the United States has expended large sums of money on the improvement of the Oakland Harbor, and is at present deepening the channel to twenty feet at low water, between the wharves of this city and the deep water of the Bay of San Francisco, by dredging of the hard pan, which in many places is equal to the hardness of sandstone, and cannot be removed by tidal currents or any process but by dredging, and

"Whereas We have been informed by reliable authority that to complete the dredging between our wharves and the deep water of the bay will cost about $250,000.00, and

"Whereas the deepening of this channel will allow vessels loaded to come to our wharves without first unloading a part of their cargoes in San Francisco, and

"Whereas The one article of coal alone costs every householder and consumer at least 50 cents per ton extra in consequence of not having deep water as aforesaid in said channel, and

"Whereas: A Custom House has been opened in this city by the Government, where importations from foreign countries are receiving attention at the hands of our collector, and

"Whereas: The Government engineers have recommended in their last report to the Secretary of War that this channel aforesaid be deepened and extended westerly to the Bay of San Francisco:

"Resolved: That this board endorses and approves of the recommendation of Col. Mendell of the Government engineers to continue this year the deepening of the channel from our wharves to the Bay of San Francisco;

"Resolved: That we respectfully call the attention of the city government to the above facts and request our Representatives in Congress to vigorously urge an appropriation to be made for the purpose of deepening said channel during the present year.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

STUCK ON THE BAR.

Wreck of the St. Paul, the Magnificent Atlantic Steamer.

NO LIVES ARE IN DANGER.

There Are Chances, Though, of Disaster to the Big Boat.

EFFORTS TO FLOAT HER.

She Ploughed Into the Sand 'Ere the Engines Stopped.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANDY HOOK, Jan. 25.—The American liner St. Paul, from Southampton for New York, struck the outer bar off Holighton, Long Branch, N. J., during a dense fog between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning.

She was shortly afterwards discovered by a patrol from Long Branch Life-Saving Service and preparations made to open communication with her.

The apparatus was dragged to its place and a shot fired across the vessel, and a hawser placed on board.

The people on board desired to remain on the vessel, as there was no danger.

Messages were sent ashore notifying the agents of the Maritime Exchange and wrecking companies of the accident.

Crews from Sea Bright, Monmouth Beach and Long Branch Life-Saving Stations are all in attendance on the steamer.

The wind is light, southwest, with a long ground swell.

When the surf goes down they will go to her in surfboats.

Among the passengers on the St. Paul are Ex-Congressman W. Bourke Cochran, Prince Serge Wolkonsky, Dixon C. Walker, Dr. S. A. Knorf Harvey, W. Brown, H. G. Fellows, Miss Minnie Sachs, Louis R. Worth and W. W. Whitehouse.

The St. Paul has on board $1,300,000 specie.

The vessel struck on a sand bar a quarter of a mile from Iron Pier.

Her nose ran about 100 feet into the sand before the engines could be stopped.

She is pointing southwest.

The wind is blowing northwest, but only eight miles an hour.

The St. Paul sailed from Southampton January 18th in charge of Captain Jameson.

When the steamer ran ashore it is said there was only four feet of water over bar.

The old seamen along the shore say the vessel may not be floated a week or more.

The wrecking tug Hustler passed out at 9:30 A. M. to render assistance to the St. Paul.

At 11 A. M. no passengers had been removed from the steamer.

Two tugs are beside the steamer and another is on the way from New York. These three will be used in removing the passengers.

The stern line is out to the hold.

The vessel is in the position in which she struck.

The vessel appears to be leaking, dirty water is coming from the ship's pumps.

HARD TO FLOAT.

From the fact that the St. Paul ran aground at high water, it is thought she will not be easily floated.

Next high water will be a little before 2 o'clock and an effort will be made to pull her off.

Meantime everything that can be removed will be taken from the vessel in order to lighten her.

Nine tugs are now with the vessel.

Some steerage passengers became greatly alarmed. When they went on deck, however, and saw the shore they became quiet.

The St. Paul was launched from Cramp's yard, Philadelphia, April 10, 1895.

She is one of the most magnificently appointed vessels in the transatlantic service.

If she is not ready to sail next Wednesday the company will substitute the St. Louis.

REMOVING THE PASSENGERS.

Life saving crews have commenced transferring the St. Paul's passengers to another steamer.

The work of taking off the first and second cabin passengers began at 1:45 o'clock.

In all, 102 men, 42 women, 3 boys, 2 girls and 5 babies were taken from the vessel, making a total of 154 persons.

The steerage passengers are still on the boat.

Some of the baggage is now being removed.

The water ballast tanks have been pumped out, and an effort to pull the vessel off will be made within an hour.

PASSENGERS TRANSFERRED.

LONG BRANCH, Jan. 25.—By 4 P. M. all the steerage passengers had been transferred from the St. Paul to the I. J. Merritt, which started for New York.

No effort to release the St. Paul has yet been made.

Sandbagged.

Robert Walker of 941 Campbell street was sandbagged at the corner of Seventh and Willow streets Thursday night. He believes that his assailants were members of the Fish gang who have frequently threatened to do him up.

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BLEW UP THE DEPOT.

Burglars Apply an Overcharge of Powder to a Safe at Monterey.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MONTEREY, Cal., Jan. 25.—Early this morning burglars blew open the safe of the Southern Pacific agent here, knocking off the dial of the safe and filling the hole with dynamite.

The burglars took the contents of the safe, amounting to only $30.

The inner door of the safe was supposed to be burglar proof.

The burglars are supposed to be strangers and professionals.

The police now think that the robbery in which the thieves made such a small haul was the work of amateurs, as though powder was used to blow up the entire building.

The office was totally wrecked, partitions and doors smashed and the door of the safe blown through the office door and across the railroad track, making a hole in a fisherman's boat 100 feet distant from the depot.

EXCURSIONISTS WRECKED.

One of Raymond & Whitcomb's Trains Comes to Grief.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Word was received here this morning that the Raymond and Whitcomb special California excursion train which left here at 10:30 yesterday was wrecked last night at Crooked Run, Virginia, on the Norfolk & Western R. R.

No passengers were injured, but the head porter of one of the sleeping cars was instantly killed.

The train consisted of five palace cars.

Representatives of Raymond & Whitcomb on the special train advise them that the accident was caused by a sliding rock loosened by the storm.

The train was bound for Mexico and California.

A DEADLOCK.

Hunter and Blackburn Have Tied Up Kentucky Legislature.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 25.—It now appears there will be no election of a Senator this session.

The supporters of Hunter say no other Republican can win.

The friends of Senator Blackburn swear he is the only Democrat who will be considered.

Two Populists split, one voting with the Republicans and one with the Democrats.

Governor Bradley announces he is for Hunter and says he thinks Hunter can win.

Withstood the Storm.

The streets and sewers withstood the storm with little or no damage. The catch basins and gutters have been opened since the last storm and no reports of damage have reached the superintendent of streets today.

SAYS HE'S ALL RIGHT.

Captain John Hackett Talks on the Garbage Matter.

The Board of Public Works Is Ready to Settle All Details.

The Board of Public Works were to meet this morning to act on the Council resolution to enter into a contract with Captain John Hackett to remove the garbage but after consultation the matter was deferred until 4 o'clock this afternoon.

If the contract is awarded to Captain Hackett the change will not be made until about the 15th of February as there are bonds to be filed and other arrangements made which will take considerable time.

The captain does not believe that removing the garbage to sea will be in the least objectionable.

"It is the only way in fact to dispose of it," he said this morning, "but still it is only an assumption that that is the way I intend to do it. I have never said so and there is nothing in my bid which shows that I do want to keep my tugs at work though. They talk about the New York Garbage. Why they carry out more there in ten days than we will in the whole ten years.

"In regard to prices for removing it from the houses," he continued, "they will be the same as they are now, in fact there may be no change for I may arrange with the scavengers to tow the refuse away for so much and let them continue collecting it. I will do the square thing by them and probably we can make some kind of an arrangement that will be satisfactory to all."

Dr. Archibald's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Dr. Francis A. Archibald was held this afternoon at the family residence, 966 Eighteenth street. The floral pieces were many and beautiful and the casket was a veritable bank of flowers. Dr. Kummer, of whose church Mr. Archibald was a member, preached the service. The remains will be taken to the depot this afternoon and shipped this evening for New York.

Publisher MacMillan Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The death of Alexander MacMillan, of the Publishing House of MacMillan & Co., was today announced by cable from London.

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BUT LITTLE DANGER.

Hopeful News From the Cape About John Hays Hammond.

HOW AMERICANS ACTED.

They In No Way Attempted to Assault the Boers.

ALL WILL BE AMICABLE.

Parole Granted by Kruger to Nearly All the Offenders.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The State Department today gave out the following statement:

Manian, consular agent at Johannesburg, cables Secretary Olney that the American prisoners are out on parole, except Hammond, whose case differs from that of the others, in that Hammond signed the constitutional invitation to Jameson to come to Johannesburg, in case of extreme peril.

Jameson marched towards Johannesburg, however, before the trouble arose.

When this was discovered the American and other leaders issued proclamations calling on the people to refrain from hostilities.

Instead of inciting rebellion Hammond, in the beginning, raised the Transvaal flag and all in the movement swore allegiance.

Clement and the other Americans took arms from many and sent them home.

Not a shot was fired by the Johannesburg party there was no disturbance, nor a single act of hostility, arms were peacefully surrendered and every effort made to maintain the republic as against encroachment.

The cases against the American prisoners arrested will be tried in court, though the government has not yet indicated the time of the prosecution.

Manian adds the Transvaal government has acted magnanimously.

In view of the foregoing it is believed here neither Hammond nor any other Americans are in serious peril.

The State Department has cabled to Manian to use the most active and vigorous measures for the relief of Americans, and to that end make the Transvaal government direct representations on behalf of the United States, which acts independently, of course, in its own interests.

TO PROTECT THEMSELVES.

Merchants Will Investigate the Problem of Bad Debts.

The Merchants' Exchange held an important meeting last evening. The question of the non-payment of bills by some of the city and county officials and prominent citizens was discussed. H. D. Cushing, C. W. Hunt and Theo. Gier were appointed a committee to investigate those who are behind in their accounts. The work of the committee will consist chiefly in forming a black list. School Director Webb N. Pearce is endeavoring to make neglect to pay debts contracted for the necessities of life a sufficient reason for the discharge of a school teacher.

The old question of San Francisco drummers selling goods in Oakland was also brought up and a committee appointed to act in conjunction with the license inspector to consult with attorneys concerning action against the commercial men.

Resolutions endorsing the proposal to send a delegate to Washington in the interest of the improvement of California rivers and harbors were passed.

THE ADAMS CASE.

Argument Made on a Motion to Dismiss the Action.

The argument of Attorneys Hynemann and Moore on a motion to dismiss the action brought by Fred S. Adams to annul the marriage with Isabelle Potter last July, was heard today before Judge Frick.

The attorneys based their motion on two propositions. They contended first that the court had no jurisdiction over the defendant and second that the plaintiff had no legal capacity to sue.

To those points the counsel applied their argument. Ex-Supreme Court Justice Charles N. Fox appeared in behalf of the plaintiff.

The matter will probably be submitted on briefs.

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NO STATEMENT YET.

Another Continuance Necessary in the Goldberg Case.

A dozen attorneys met in Judge Frick's court this morning to attempt to reach some settlement of the contest between the executors of the Goldberg estate over the proposed compromise of Dr. Dudley Tait's judgment for $700.

There was a petition for an order directing the executors to show cause why they should not make the compromise. Attorney Pillsbury, representing Henry Wadsworth, the executor, who objects to the compromise as proposed, argued against the motion and finally as the court was inclined to deny the petition another continuance until next Saturday was suggested and agreed upon.

Meanwhile further effort will be made to reconcile the points in dispute. It is probable if the executors do not reach a conclusion during the week there will be an order made next Saturday for an other partial distribution of the estate. Enough money will be set aside, however, in that event to provide for the claim of Dr. Tait, and the fees of the executors not yet paid.

WIND WROUGHT DAMAGE.

Telephone Service Disabled and Several Boats Run Aground.

The Sunset Telephone Company's cable between Oakland and San Francisco was fouled early this morning by the anchor of Charles Fair's new yacht, "Lucero," which dragged during the heavy blow. All but one of the cable wires were temporarily disabled.

The telephone service between this city and San Francisco was greatly hampered this morning.

Most of the messages had to be sent round through San Jose. At 11 o'clock manager Fleming reported everything in working order.

During the storm in Oakland Harbor the Arcada drifted over to the Alameda shore and stuck in the mud. The Clara also ran aground just below on the same side.

HORSE THIEVES AT WORK.

The Hewston Ranch Is Robbed of Two Valuable Animals.

Horse thieves looted the Hewston ranch in the hills back of Mills' seminary last night and two valuable horses were stolen. Sheriff White was notified of the affair and gave orders at once to apprehend the thieves if possible. They were reported as having been seen on the main road to Niles. Deputy Rose said two men answering the description of the men suspected were seen at that neighborhood early this morning.

HIS BENT THE LAW.

Chief Deputy Sheriff Will White Has a Laudable Ambition.

Chief Deputy Sheriff William B. White has about completed a course of study in the law and will soon be ready to go before the Supreme Court on examination for admission to the bar. The bent of the young man in that direction has been marked ever since he entered upon the onerous duties of his position.

Tapped the Till.

Mrs. Erhnfort, the keeper of a bakery on Broadway, south of Fifth street, has reported to the police that a sneak thief entered her store yesterday afternoon and tapped the till of about $7.50.

A QUEER COMPLICATION.

Menzenmeyer Is Benefited by the Extradition Treaty.

He Can Only Be Tried on the Charge on Which He Is Indicted.

A peculiar complication has arisen in the matter of the extradition of Albert Menzenmeyer. Under the treaty provisions with Great Britain, should papers be sent to Victoria now and Menzenmeyer ordered into the custody of the local officers he would have to be tried upon the charge upon which he will be indicted, that is a result to murder.

In the event of Perkins' death from the bullet wound he received, Menzenmeyer could not be tried for murder. He would have to be released and given an opportunity to get out of the country before he could be re-arrested.

District Attorney Snook said today he had reliable information that Perkins' condition is serious enough to warrant consideration of the possibility of a murder charge being lodged against Menzenmeyer. Sheriff White is anxious to have the fugitive returned. Still should Perkins die, there might be a miscarriage of justice, because of the peculiar nature of the conditions. The treaty imposes upon the contracting nations that an extradited person must be tried only upon the charge laid against him when extradited. This would, if Perkins should die, after Menzenmeyer had been returned leave the department in a position of being forced to place him on trial for a crime of a lesser degree than resulted, or he would have to be given the chance to leave the United States before he could be again arrested. The officers would be compelled to free him.

LOST AT SEA.

Fate of One of the Escapes From the County Jail.

Edward Duffy, one of the quartet who escaped on May 21st last from the County Jail is supposed to have perished at sea from the schooner Golden Shore under the name of James Conway. The mate fell overboard in a gale. A boat was lowered and Conway or Duffy was drowned, as the small boat was swamped.

Duffy was arrested on a charge of bigamy. He was a sailor and married Miss Brown, daughter of a sailor lodging house keeper in San Francisco. He subsequently wedded a Miss Carrara in Oakland and his first mother-in-law caused his arrest. He was awaiting trial when he made his escape. The police had traced him to British Columbia but there he shipped on the vessel from which he lost his life.

For Better Waterways.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The Supervisors' Finance Committee will recommend the appropriation of $300 to pay the city's proportion of expense of sending a delegation to Washington to urge Congress to improve the rivers and harbors of the State.

MOODY'S MISHAP.

A Well-Known Oakland[illegible] Found Unconscious in His Yacht.

HIS INJURIES ARE SERIOUS.

Nothing Definite Known as to the Cause of the Accident.

A RESULT OF THE STORM.

Only a Colored Boy Was With Him on Board the Bonita.

Last night's gale on the bay was responsible for a very serious and probably fatal accident to William C. Moody, one of the most prominent young amateur yachtsmen of this city. He was found this morning in an unconscious condition covered with blood, aboard his schooner yacht Bonita which was pounding upon the side of long wharf east of the restaurant that is midway down the long pier.

The cause of the accident was not known to the railroad men who discovered the plight of the little craft and her owner early this morning. The wind during the early hours was blowing fiercely off the wharf and the yacht was in constant danger of being smashed to bits against the big timbers of the wharf.

The railroad men who found the boat discovered the young man's condition and went to work at once to bring him ashore. This was accomplished with some difficulty for Moody was unconscious and the tossing of the boat rendered it difficult to handle his limp form.

There was no one aboard the Bonita to save the injured man and a small colored boy known as Fred. He was badly frightened, however, and was unable to give the rescuers of his captain a lucid description of the way the accident occurred.

All haste was made to have young Moody taken to the Receiving Hospital. A call was sent to the Police station for the patrol wagon to meet the train from the pier upon which Moody was taken to Broadway. Then he was removed to the hospital in the patrol wagon. He was still unconscious when placed upon the operating table where Dr. Johnson made an examination of the injuries which were mainly about the head. There were numerous contusions and lacerations that had caused much bleeding and Dr. Johnson was very much inclined to believe that a fracture at the base of the skull had been sustained. The injured man was covered with blood that flowed freely from his ears and the wounds. The indications were that he was suffering from internal hemorrhage.

The appearance of the blood upon him when he was taken to the hospital would indicate that the accident occurred several hours before the schooner was discovered at the wharf in a helpless condition. The blood had dried and caked upon his face and head and Steward Victory was compelled to use a great deal of warm water to cleanse the injured portion for the doctor's examination.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

The injured man is the son of V. D. Moody, formerly president of the First National Bank, and is one of the best known yachtsmen on the bay. As soon as he had been taken to the hospital his father was notified and Dr. Buckland, the family physician, was summoned to assist in caring for the sufferer.

The mystery of the accident puzzles Moody's friends. He was an expert boat sailor and had years of experience. He had a marked penchant for water and boats. He had for six years past been practically aboard the Bonita. He made his home there and the life suited him. He was therefore well qualified to take command of the pretty vessel.

Last week young Moody went to Grass Valley on Madera creek. He was returning to Oakland when the accident occurred. It is supposed he was struck by the main boom during some exceptionally hard blow or possibly when he was jibbing. He was unconscious for a few hours before the railroad men got there. After being treated at the hospital he gained consciousness partially, but was unable to talk or hear anything said to him.

The schooner is a well known craft, forty feet long and it is considered one of the best on the bay. She was somewhat damaged by the jolt received on the wharf.

The family residence is at 22[illegible] Alice street where young Moody will be removed if his condition warrants it.

Young Moody's father learned this afternoon that his son came down from San Quentin last night. There was a heavy swell on and when the boat got the wind off the mouth of the harbor she was carried over onto the wharf. It is supposed that Moody's head was caught by the boom while he was trying to keep the yacht from pounding upon the dock. The Bonita was towed into the slip at Broadway this afternoon.

Christian Endeavor.

The officers of the Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union are making preparations for the open meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall Monday night. Professor Lloyd of the Pacific Theological Seminary and late President of the Chicago City C. E. Union will give an address on "City Missionary Work." Dr. Sanborn on "Lookout Committee Work." These will be followed by discussions. Floyd Gray will recite. Miss Emma McCormick is down for a vocal solo. Mr. John Walking, the comedian, is booked for one number.

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THREE WERE IN THE PARTY.

The Prisoners Well Connected and Are Green Hands.

Officer Ely is the pride of the force this morning. By most the capture of the year last night and locked in custody two young men who are his junior on a career of crime. They dined high and intended to be safe sleepers but there is not evidence enough against them as yet to charge them with any higher offense than carrying burglars tools.

"It was about 11 o'clock," said Ely this morning, while modestly narrating the circumstances, "that my attention was attracted to three men at the corner of Twentieth street and Telegraph avenue. Two were standing on the corner by the coal yard and the other was across the street. I saw that they had missed cars going both ways so I walked up to the single one and asked him what he was doing. While I was talking to him one of her two walked rapidly down Twentieth street and I followed them. I covered up my man, drew my gun and at the corner of Broadway and Eighteenth street I came up to them. I asked where they had been and they said calling on a young lady on Hobart street. They gave the names of Finch and Morgan and said they lived at Ninth and Jackson streets. My suspicions were aroused and I slipped the handcuffs on them. I found my man along the outside of their coat pockets and found four revolvers so I took them down to the station."

L. M. Parker, who lives at 1943 Broadway, saw the occurrence and rendered the officer assistance in handcuffing and searching the prisoners.

On each man were two large revolvers of 45 calibre, besides nearly a full safe-cracking outfit. There were three masks made of black silk handkerchiefs, a large steel stamp made to wrench off safe combinations, files, glass cutters, skeleton keys, screw drivers, candles and other implements of the profession. The jimmy and drill were missing, probably on the man who escaped.

The men gave the names of Clarence Turner and William Fountain and their ages as 19 and 21 respectively. Outside of this they have nothing to say.

They are probably new men at the business. The work done at Spaulding & Cummings, Taylor's Safe Works and on the safe of the National Bee Company does not show the firmness of an expert and from the size of the holes bored in the safe doors and the modus operandi in each case it is certain that these three jobs were done by the same parties.

Another fact which tends to establish them as novices is the ease with which they were captured. Three old time crackesmen as heavily armed as they would never have been taken by one officer without a show of resistance.

The young men are well dressed and come of good San Francisco families. Fountain's parents lived in Oakland some time ago and the Fountain home on New Broadway, near Eighteenth street is well known. When questioned by the police this morning they denied that there was any third party with them. This the officers do not believe.

The apparatus they had for wrenching off safe combinations is one of the latest additions to the cracksmen's kit. The young men say they had it made by a San Francisco blacksmith but told him it was to be used on an elevator. The device was wrapped in a long bill head, on which a plan of it had been drawn. The paper bore the name of W. N. Murphy, carriage and wagon factory, 1428 Mission street, San Francisco and it is probably there that the apparatus was made.

Officer Ely made a record before last night. He was the officer with Fohlerman Collins at the Kuhnle saloon burglary at which Cashin and one of the burglars were killed and for which crime Louis Mahoney was tried in the Superior Courts.

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CHRISTIANITY'S CREED.

Chester Street M. E. church, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—At 11 A. M., Mr. J. P. Smith of Stockton will deliver an address in the interest of the Y. M. C. A., and the annual report will be read by Mr. Rich. The W. C. T. U. will hold a grand rally at 7:30 P. M., and addresses will be delivered by Mrs. Dr. Kellogg-Lane of this city. Special music will be rendered on each occasion.

The services at the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) in East Oakland, Rev. V. Maynard Law, rector, will be of a highly extraordinary character, it being the closing day of the Webber mission. The Archdeacon preaches both morning and evening. He preaches at St. Luke's in San Francisco in the afternoon, but will return to East Oakland for the evening service, which will be his last in Oakland, as he leaves for Los Angeles early Monday morning. Service at 11 and 7:30. The Lord's supper follows the morning service, the Archdeacon officiating as celebrant. Also services this evening in the church, Archdeacon Webber officiating and preaching on "The Church and Her Ways, Ceremonials, Dresses, etc." Mr. Webber has been enthusiastic over the choir of the Church of the Advent. That such efficient service should be volunteer and then excel the large majority of paid choirs is worthy of special commendation. For twenty services in succession, three each day—there has been a good attendance of this choir, in the evening numbering 35 to 12.

St. Marcus German Lutheran church—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "Christ Our Help."

Union Street Presbyterian church—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. A. R. Brown of Los Angeles. Morning subject: "Harvesting Souls." Evening subject: "After the Holidays." The evening subject is special for young people's meditation and the older people's reflection.

First Unitarian church—Rev. C. W. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic: "How to Choose a Vocation in Life." A sermon for young people. At 7:30 P. M. the fourth musical lecture. Topic: "Beethoven." Illustrative music by Miss Olive Reed, Miss Ina Griffin, Mrs. Carrie Dexter and others.

First Free Baptist church, on Twenty-first street between Brush street and San Pablo avenue—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Philip Graif will preach in the morning on "The Candles and Golden Lamps of the Lord," and in the evening on "The Real Pillars of Society." Special music. Everybody cordially invited.

Market Street Congregational church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets—The pastor, Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., will preach tomorrow morning and evening and teach a Bible class at 1 P. M. Subjects: At 11 A. M., "The Peculiar Perils of Boys and Young Men, and How to Keep Them from Them"; at 7:30 P. M., "Beauty and Security."

First Christian church, Thirteenth and Market streets, James Small, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. sharp and 7:30 P. M. Theme for the morning: "Lord, What Wilt Thou Have Me to Do?" The first in the series on "The Christian for the Times." Evening: "An Ideal Church." M. M. Meyers of Portland, Or., will be on the platform and talk for ten minutes on Y. M. C. A. work. Everybody will be made very welcome. Good singing, sweet solos and all seats free. The rich and the poor meet together, the Lord is the maker of them all." Sunday school at noon. B. L. Spence, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 P. M. Take any Twelfth or Fourteenth street car.

WILL IT RAIN ?

Professor Hammon Will Next Week Tell How Forecasts Are Made.

Weather forecasting takes on a new interest as the rain continues and all are anxious to see the man who says it will and it won't. This desire may be gratified on the evening of January 31st, when Professor Hammon of the United States official forecast will lecture in the Chester Street M. E. church.

The young men of the Epworth League have been doing commendable things lately and this is one that will be appreciated. All intelligent persons wish to understand more perfectly how the forecast is made and the difficulties in the way of certainty in the matter.

Professor Hammon will give the "Present Methods and Limitations and Future Possibilities of Weather Forecasting."

He will open a question drawer that evening and will answer all inquiries in relation to forecasting and kindred subjects.

The questions will receive more concise and lucid answers if submitted to the professor the day preceding the lecture. To this end persons are cordially invited to send questions to Professor S. P. Meads of the High School, to Astronomer Burkhalter of the Chabot Observatory, or to George W. Beatty, 1622 Taylor street.

A SINGING LECTURE.

A Good Entertainment for the Neighborhood Boys' Club

Professor H. B. Pasmore will give his singing lecture at Hamilton Hall, Tuesday evening, February 4th, for the benefit of the Neighborhood Boy's Club. Mr. Pasmore has given this lecture at Stanford University and in San Francisco with great success, and those who go to hear him in Oakland will not only enjoy a good musical programme illustrating his lecture, but will have the satisfaction of assisting a worthy charity.

The pupils who will assist are the Misses Wyman, Warder, Osson, Forester, and Waters and Messrs. Edgerton, Smith, Rixford and Medley.

The admission will only be 25 cents and as the cause is a worthy one all should assist.

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FISHER'S WILD RIDE.

Heroic Conduct of a Physician During an Exciting Runaway.

Dr. C. M. Fisher was the hero of a thrilling runaway yesterday afternoon. Just after leaving Fabiola Hospital his famous horse "Whiskers" got restless on seeing a hay-stack in an adjoining field and then decided to vary the monotony of life by running away.

The doctor did not realize what "Whiskers" was about until the animal speeded past a four-horse truck, thus giving notice that something unusual was happening. Such unparalleled speed must be stopped at all hazards said the doctor to himself, so he commenced to pull on the lines, to shout "Whoa!" "Ah, Whiskers" and several other remarks appropriate to the occasion but all in vain, for the horse in the next three blocks actually passed a loaded coal cart.

This mad burst of speed was maintained until town was reached, when "Whiskers" becoming tired stopped of his own accord outside a hay and grain store. The doctor was immediately surrounded by a circle of admiring friends who praised his bravery for not throwing himself out of the buggy or shooting the horse dead. The doctor was hatless, as during the ride his hair had imitated "the quills of a fretful porcupine" and his headgear not being able to balance had fallen off. The doctor is keeping quiet in his room today and taking light nourishment.

COAL IS CHEAPER.

The Coos Bay Company Makes an Appreciative Reduction.

There is nobody, whether rich or poor, who is not interested in being able to secure good coal at the lowest possible rates. This is particularly true when the tendency of things generally is toward an increase in price without the conferring of a corresponding benefit.

In another column of this issue of The Tribune it will be noticed that there is a change in the price of the Coos Bay coal offered here. The price which heretofore prevailed was $7.50 a ton. That has been reduced so that the price stands today simply at $7 a ton. This coal is sootless and smokeless, burns to a clear white ash, gives a grateful glow and retains its heat longer than any other coal in the market. This coal is delivered by all agents at this figure. The company's headquarters are at Broadway and East street, San Francisco.

LAMPING'S TRIAL.

Charges Are Aired Against the Policeman.

The trial of officer Ed Lamping is on today before the Police and Fire Commissioners.

The Chief has alleged six offenses.

Attorney McElroy, who represented the defendant, entered a plea of not guilty to every charge except the one of owing money, which charge, the attorney said, could be explained away.

The witnesses examined showed that Lamping had always paid his bills with the exception of accounts now running.

Mr. Piersol wanted to look into the law regarding the garbage contract, and at his request the investigation was continued to Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 26, 1896.

Northern California: Rain this afternoon, tonight and possibly Sunday; high, southeasterly winds this afternoon.

Southern California: Rain this afternoon and tonight in the northern portion and along the coast; warmer tonight; fresh, southerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Rain this afternoon, tonight and possibly Sunday, high southeasterly winds.

A. McADIE,
Local Forecast Official.

LICENSED TO MARRY

Robert W. Hunter, Oakland	26
Mary E. Murray, Oakland	18
Earl S. Halsey, Berkeley	21
Leila B. Ricketts, Fruitvale	18
John Suhr, Oakland	26
Myra H. McFarlin, Oakland	27
John Nufer, Oakland	31
Josie Kathriner, Oakland	21
Leroy C. Smith, San Francisco	29
Anna M. Arnold, San Francisco	22
Walter H. Crever, San Francisco	26
Kittie T. Murphy, San Francisco	23
Martin J. Heavey, San Francisco	28
Loretta M. St. John, Oakland	18
Martin F. Flaherty, San Francisco	30
Elizabeth Kiefer, San Francisco	23
Francis H. Coy, San Francisco	34
Mary L. Rod, San Jose	18

Menzenmeyer Indicted.

The Grand Jury this afternoon indicted Albert Menzenmeyer. His bonds were fixed at $15,000.

SOCIETY SPARKLED.

The Reliance Show Brought Out the Best People of Town.

ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT.

Excellent Talent and a Bright Play Appreciated by All.

ABLE AMATEURS APPEARED.

Comments on the Production and Notes About the Audience.

The fact that the histrionic achievements of the Charity Company are enshrined in the hearts of the society people of Oakland was testified to by the audience which greeted the initial performance of "7-20-8" at the Macdonough theater last evening. In the assemblage all the leading families of the city were represented, and the commingling partook of the nature of a grand reception rather than the stiffness and formality of a night at the play. This feature was rendered most noticeable by the cheery recognitions and greetings which took place in the auditorium between mutual acquaintances and the delightful buzz of conversation which characterized the entr'actes.

The curtain rose on time, and, with few exceptions, those who had secured seats were in possession of them before the first lines of the piece were spoken.

The play was new to hundreds of the auditors, and the unfolding of the story was therefore watched with the keenest interest. The tale is told in a sprightly manner, suggestive of the lightness and gaiety which characterized the most successful work of Augustin Daly of a number of years ago. The characters are varied, and while some of them belong to types which are not ordinarily admitted to the higher walks of social life, they serve to round a picture of human nature which is realistic and interesting in the extreme.

J. C. Wilson Jr., without whose name a cast of the Charity Company would appear strange indeed, as has been his wont, played the hero, "Courtney Corbiss, a gentleman of leisure with a theory concerning boomerangs," and at the same time "in pleasant pursuit of a face." It was a fact, grateful to the audience, that there was no long dissertation on the theory of the "boomerang." There was instead, a great deal of Courtney's "search for a face," and it was conducted in a manner which evoked the sympathy of the audience. The face was in the possession of "Flos Bargiss," who was impersonated by Miss Maud Morrell. The course of true love between the two did not run smooth. It was characterized on the part of the suitor with doubt and devotion, while on the part of "Flos" it was signalized by alternate hope and fear. Mr. Wilson appeared in a more difficult role than he has ever assumed here, and it may be said to greater advantage than ever before.

"Mr. Launcelot Bargiss" was impersonated by Alex. J. Rosborough. In this character there was a vein of humor, though it was perhaps more accidental than otherwise. It was the humor occasioned by the poor old man's gullibility, and as such might easily have been carried too far and have turned the sketch into a burlesque. That Mr. Rosborough did not go beyond the line is creditable to a young man who, heretofore, has been expected to grasp the humor in every character he has assumed.

Harry W. Thomas as "Paul Hollyhock," Bargiss' son-in-law, had a somewhat ungrateful role in the earlier scenes. He had little to do that could be done well, and this fact was rendered more galling when on walking with his wife "Dora," Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, enfolded in his arms, the audience indulged in levity which would have discouraged an experienced, professional. Of course the laughter could not scarcely be explained, because the business of the piece required the enfolding referred to. Mr. Thomas and Miss Sharpe lost neither their temper nor presence of mind. Mr. Thomas in the later scenes, where he had something of comedy work to do, did it well.

Frank Mathieu as "Signor Palmiro Tamborini" had an excellent make-up as an Italian "maitre de ballet." He was all activity, nimbleness and grace. His Italian-English patois was good and the facility with which he disported himself stamped he impersonation as one of the great successes of the evening.

W. H. Quinn, Jr., appeared as a "postman on his rounds." It was the fault of the playwright that a postman was delivering mail at about 9 o'clock at night, and not that of Mr. Quinn. Despite that fact Mr. Quinn made a hit in the little scene which he had with "Flos," in which he aided that little lady in endeavoring to attract the attention of her lover across the street to come and protect her in her isolation. Mr. Quinn also kept up the proprieties by coming on the stage, out of a rain storm, with his outer habiliments streaming with the effects of the downpour.

C. J. Dickman gave an artistic impersonation of "Professor Gasleigh," an impecunious, starving and unscrupulous pretender, who played on the gullibility of old "Bargiss" and his devoted wife with the skill and effrontery of a master. His appearance and make-up were not of the traditional style, but they were sufficiently Bohemian to bear out in an excellent manner Mr. Dickman's conception of the character.

"Mrs. Hypatia Bargiss," a "lady possessed of ancestors, aspirations and a nobby," was impersonated by Mrs. J. Cal. Ewing. While it differed in every sense from the roles in which Mrs. Ewing has heretofore appeared, she was found equal to its requirements. At times she was the tender, devoted wife of "Bargiss," encouraging him in his aspirations to become a writer, and at others successful in devising ways and means of inventing surprises of a pleasant character for her spouse. Mrs. Ewing's conception of the character was correct and consistent and was greatly appreciated.

Daisy Belle Sharpe, who at once served "as her husband's tempter and victim," gave a rounded delineation of the character of "Dora." She was clever throughout and especially in the third and fourth acts, when she did comedy work of a pleasant character.

Miss Maud Morrell's "Flos" was the ingenue style which has fallen to her in nearly all the performances of this company. It was characterized with simplicity, girlish innocence, doubts, fears, impulsiveness and finally intensest devotion. It can scarcely be said that she appeared to advantage in flossy hair, because the mobility of her features to a great extent was lost against such an amber background. Miss Morrell scored another success and was deservedly appreciated.

The perfection of the cast was rounded out by the excellence of "Jessie," a domestic, who was represented by Edna Elsemere, and who did all that devolved upon her in a manner worthy of praise.

In the setting of the piece the Macdonough did its duty, the last two scenes especially being perfect in appointment and detail.

The orchestral music under the direction of Louis Homeier was artistic.

Beautiful souvenir programmes were given to the patrons. They contained the cast, the history and triumphs of Reliance Club, and a number of other features which will be appreciated by the friends of the organization.

Tonight the play will be repeated and another large house is expected.

Among those present last night were noted the following:

BOXES.

Box A—Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Dalton, Mrs. Ada Dalton Hawes, Mrs. Harry N. Dalton, Miss Lottie White, Henry P. Dalton.

Box C—Dr. H. P. Carlton and wife and Mrs. Vernon Waldron.

Box D—Miss Myra Prather, Miss Bell Mhoon, Miss Florence Dunham, James Moffitt, E. S. Heller, Harry E. Miller.

Box F—Messrs. Uhl Bros. and party.

Robt. and Miss Fitzgerald, J. Cal. Ewing, E. G. Vinzent, A. M. Bailey, Harry and Miss McCormick, Miss Remillard, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Miss Mamie Pope, Senator and Mrs. Denison and the Misses Denison, Ed. Griffeth, Harvey Sloper, Miss Florence Sloper, Mr. and Mrs. Warren English, W. Fennessy, Prof. Soule, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Nordhausen, Dr. Frank Adams and party, Herbert Lang, Ed. Hall and J. M. Merritt, J. Leo Parks and wife, Kenneth Watson, B. Ransome, Robert Gournet, Mr. and Mrs. Will Levit, Dr. and Mrs. Will Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Lerouch and Miss Bertha Reuch, W. W. Foote, Mr. and Mrs. Dieckman, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell, J. Richardts, Will Berry, Phil Remillard, James Ames, Sam Bell McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Will Henshaw, Judge and Mrs. Henshaw, Miss Ethel Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, A. A. Moore Jr., and the Misses Moore, Walter Henry, Miss Brown of Alameda, Mrs. R. F. Fleming, Miss Rutter, George Strong, Miss Strong and Miss Lillie Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz-knight, Will Hubbard, Ross Morgan, Mrs. and Miss Cameron, Shelby Martin, Miss Louise Bromwell, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, Church Taylor, Fred English, Dr. Will Merriman, Mrs. Harry Thomas, James Creeley, Granville Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meehan, Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Taylor, George Uhl, Charlie Quinn, Willard Wayman, Chas. Parcells, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Adams, Dr. Eaton, Ed Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Britton, Miss W. D. Smith, Elmer Dyer, Joe Racine, Walter Hackett, Arthur Pope, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Dargie, Bert Brayton, Rodger Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Uhl, Carl Abbott, B. McFadden, Mrs. Remi Chabot and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker, Miss Mollie Connors, Alex. Stewart and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Breed, Judge J. J. Allen, Miss Katie Owens, Eugene Van Court, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Benham, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marston, H. K. Snow, Dr. J. P. Dunn, Miss May Jenkins, Irving C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schellhaas, Mrs. Dr. Phipps, Miss Susie Eidland, W. R. Thomas, Mrs. Albert Brown, Albert Brown Jr., Judge and Mrs. Yule, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Egbert, Mrs. E. C. Sessions, Capt. John Hackett, Miss Haight, Al. Lean, Dr. Merriman.

MANAGER CHICAGO JOURNAL

Col. F. C. Pierce Was Made a Well Man by Paine's Celery Compound.

At the door of every newspaper office might be posted the general order—Rush.

The busiest concerns in the busiest streets are sluggards compared with these newsgathering hives where human fingers and brains are matched to keep up with machinery.

The brunt of this fatiguing mental strain unavoidable to getting out one of the big city dailies, for example, the Chicago Evening Journal, falls on its business manager—in the case of this oldest daily in Illinois, Colonel Frederick C. Pierce.

Colonel Pierce is one of the busiest men in Chicago, a city of early and late workers. Brain workers in every profession will thank Colonel Pierce for the following statement recently made by him:

"For several years I have been troubled with sick headache, caused by constipation, otherwise I have always been in perfect health and never sick but for two weeks in my life. This sick headache has been very annoying. I have taken a number of different medicines which have been used and recommended by others, but not until I took Paine's celery compound did I find any relief.

"This season I took one bottle and was not troubled with headache for at least six months. Since that time I have kept the medicine in the office and used it occasionally, and have not been troubled with headache since.

"I have recommended it to a number of my friends, who have been benefited as I have. For a person who is disposed to constipation it is unquestionably one of the best medicines that there is on the market today.

"Yours respectfully,
"F. C. PIERCE."

"Business Manager Chicago Evening Journal."

A black cloud is no surer indication of an approaching storm than persistent headaches are of dangerous debility.

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A mere glance at the faces of weak, nervous, run down persons after they have begun to use this greatest of all remedies, shows how rapid is the nourishing effect of Paine's celery compound.

There are thousands upon thousands well today because they used Paine's celery compound.

Sir Frederick Leighton Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Lord Leighton, better known as Sir Frederick Leighton, president of the Royal Academy, died this afternoon, aged 65. He suffered from a chill this morning, followed by a serious affection of the heart, which resulted fatally.

Hickey Safely Landed.

Deputy Sheriff Al. White returned today from the Folsom penitentiary, where he escorted Thomas Hickey to commence a twelve years' sentence.

J. Walter Laymance leaves tonight with a party of friends to visit the icebergs of the Sierra Nevadas.

"Tad's" Minstrel Show.

Among the men who always had easy access to the White House was Colonel James M. Farnsworth, formerly member of Congress from the Galena district of Illinois, but at the time of this occurrence colonel of the eighth volunteer cavalry and afterward brigadier general. I met the colonel one evening and he invited me to accompany him to the White House. On arriving there we were shown into the executive office, which was located in a room on the second floor to the left and nearly facing the main stairway. On entering we found the room empty, but the presence of Mr. Lincoln's cane and spectacles led us to infer that he would soon return. While waiting we heard the sound of music and, looking out into the corridor, Colonel Farnsworth called to me to look also. The music came from a room near the further end of the corridor, at the door of which Mr. Lincoln stood, evidently listening intently.

We walked down the corridor towards him. As we approached he observed us and motioned us to be silent. We soon discovered, through the door, which was slightly ajar, several soldiers dressed as negro minstrels with banjos and a violin who were giving a genuine ante-bellum negro minstrel show with "Tad" Lincoln for sole audience. Some slight noise at the door attracted Tad's attention that way and rising he hastily closed the door with the merry remark, "Now dad, no peeping." Mr. Lincoln laughed heartily and explained to us that some of the soldiers on duty as guards at the White House were formerly members of the old Christy minstrel troupe, with whom Tad had made friends and whom he induced occasionally to rehearse for his private benefit. The President added that he had rather see a good negro show than a French opera at any time. Continuing the conversation, he said, "Farnsworth, some of my friends are much shocked at what I suppose they consider my low tastes in constantly indulging in stories, some of which I suppose are not just as nice as they might be, but I'll tell you the truth when I say that a funny story, if it has the element of genuine wit in its composition, has the same effect on me that I suppose a good square drink of whisky has on an old toper; it puts new life into me. The fact is I have always believed that a good laugh was good for both the mental and physical digestion.

Have just received a large assortment of early spring flowering bulbs. Now is the time to plant. H. M. Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

Get in out of the rain and get under a waterproof umbrella. Courtney repairs, makes, covers, sells them at bargain prices. 514 Thirteenth street, Oakland.

Good Bye to Santa Claus.

Now that Christmas has passed and the little ones pleased, the Grand Rule Bazaars have prepared to meet the demand of more useful articles and feel satisfied they can please the regular trade with more big hearted bargains than ever before.

A. and M. SCHLUETER, Proprietors.
Washington street, corner of Ninth; and also near City Hall.

BORN.

STONE—In this city, January 23, 1896, to the wife of Edgar P. Stone, a daughter.

MARRIED.

DAHLER—KAUS—In this city, January 11, 1896, by Rev. A. Jatho, Valentine Dahler and Lizzie Kaus, both of Oakland.

DIED.

KELLEY—At the County Infirmary, January 24, 1896, John Kelley, a native of Oregon, aged 43 years.

HAWKEN—At the County Infirmary, January 24, 1896, Henry C. Hawken, a native of Massachusetts, aged 68 years.

This Milk Talk

Like the quality of much of the stuff sold by many of the talkers, has little of the cream of common sense in it. We have the cows, the milk, the cream, the butter and the business. Purity, weight and quality. Jersey Milk, Cream and Butter Company, 1259 Broadway. Telephone 284.

Will Care for Their Own.

The Fruit Vale District have finished their new school building and now want to attend to the children who live in Fruit Vale. They have sent a letter to the Board of Education requesting them not to accept any children who live in the district without permission from E. E. Hunt, the clerk.

A Terrible Collision

Occurred late last night directly in front of the Mammoth Furniture stores of J. L. Lyon & Son, at 1250 and 1252½ Broadway. Luckily all their furniture, carpets, ranges, etc., both new and second hand, of which they have an enormous assortment, were inside their store for the night and so no damage was done. Telegraph avenue ran into Broadway.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in New Modern and Second-Hand Furniture.

Carpets and ranges retailed at low prices for cash. Will pay cash for or exchange good modern furniture in any quantity. Makes auction sales on premises. Call and see.

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Good second hand furniture of all descriptions, cheap, for cash, at Schellhaas'.

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Goodyear Welts are leather shoes, not rubber

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MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment office. Agency United States Laundry, 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

LADIES HAIR DRESSING—Have your hair dressed at your home; prompt attention to orders and best of service rendered, newest and latest styles. Mrs. H. A. Azmon, 926 E. Seventh street.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing. Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday: facial steaming 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' store. 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present see us at 408 11th st.

OAK BOOK CASES—From $7 up; see the display of household goods at remarkably low prices at H. Schellhaas'. We are bound to reduce our enormous stock within the next few weeks. Bed lounges, all new, from $8 up. Crockery, glassware, stoves, from $6 up. 408 11th st.

MASQUERADE COSTUMES—All country orders filled. M. Peter, 729 Market st., San Francisco.

ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counsellor, with dist. att'y. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist. att'y. Court House.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1008½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 908 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law, office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 557 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 908 Broadway, rooms 12 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—907 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 461 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 554½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 472 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 968 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A good second-hand upright piano, will pay cash. Address John Cook, box 2, Tribune.

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MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and the future; ladies 25c; gentlemen 50c. 715 22d st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant, born with a veil, a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 843 Franklin.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

FOR SALE—Corner hotel of 17 rooms nicely furnished, with bar, centrally located. Address W. S. box 2, Tribune.

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C. L. FOSTER—Private detective. 1003½ Broadway, room 9. All communications strictly confidential.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

EXPERIENCED nurse and housekeeper wishes a good position. Miss Carl, Oakland Postoffice.

A WOMAN with good references wishes a situation to do house work; is a good cook and laundress. Apply 1222 12th av., East Oakland, Vincent House.

SITUATION wanted by a Swedish girl at cooking or general housework. Good cook. Address 832 2th st.

TWO German girls wish positions for general housework in small family; can give good references. Apply at 1126 Broadway. Call bet. 2 and 5 P. M.

A SWEDISH girl would like a place to do general housework; is a good cook; was 4 years in last place. Call at 568 24th st., cor. Washington, always at home.

WANTED—By a competent woman, a situation in city or country to do general housework or cooking; country preferred. Apply 355 10th st.

A COMPETENT woman would like situation as cook or to do general housework. Apply 517 9th st., room 13.

A SWEDISH girl, good cook, wishes situation to do general housework; no cards, please call at 820 Clinton st.

A COMPETENT woman wishes situation to do general housework in American family; good cook and laundress. Call 1518 5th st., Oakland, bet. Chester and Henry sts.

SMITHS—Employment and house renting Agency, cor. 17th st. and Telegraph av., help of all descriptions and nationalities; those having homes to let please call and give particulars.

GIRL would like place to cook or do general housework. Apply 519 10th st.

WANTED—Situations for first class cooks, girls for housework, second nurse girls; these girls are all nationalities with references. Call at Hair Parlors, 1153 Washington st. Telephone 1022.

SWEDISH and German Employment Bureau can always be depended upon to furnish strictly first-class reference servants for situations of all kinds, male or female, any nationality. 921 Broadway, room 17, corner 9th st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—In a small family, a competent girl to do general housework, washing given out; wages $15. Apply 2229 Central av., near Walnut st., Alameda.

SITUATIONS WANTED MALE.

YOUNG Swiss milker would like position on ranch or dairy as a milker. Apply 872 Broadway, Oakland.

PRACTICAL landscape gardener wants work by day. Apply at 560 Clay st., upstairs. Louis Zellet.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A man to take an office and represent a manufacturer, $70 per week, small capital required. Address, with stamp, Manufacturer, box 212, Concord Junction, Mass.

WANTED—A first class cook for private family, $30 per month; Catholic preferred; also a good cook for private boarding house; good places for girls for housework, good wages. Call at Hair Store, 1153 Washington st.

WANTED—A good strong boy to learn trade. One with ability in drawing preferred. Address W. W. box3, Tribune.

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LADIES—I make big wages doing pleasant home work, and will gladly send full particulars to all sending 2c stamp. Miss M. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Michigan.

$22,000—HOW again made it in five years; one of five cloths. Exp. enclosed salesmen apply to P. O. 1371 New York.

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MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 643.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

EDWIN J. BOYES M. D.—Office cor. 13th and Clay sts.; telephone 813, residence Hotel Metropole; hours 11 A. M. to 12 M., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DR. MARTIN, 1156 Broadway; office practice, chronic diseases a specialty; hours 10 to 12 and 1 to 4; free treatment to the sick who are unable to pay for medical treatment Tuesdays and Fridays, 11 to 12.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1058 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1568 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

WILLIAM B. CHURCH—Physician and surgeon, hours 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 6:30 to 7:30 P. M.; patients received and cared for by trained nurses at office and residence, 520 19th st.

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A BLESSING—To ladies: instant relief for monthly irregularities (from whatever cause); longest established and most experienced ladies' physicians in San Francisco, who restore all cases at once by an improved and painless method, superior to all others, ladies who are sick or in trouble will save time and money and be assured of honest treatment by consulting the doctors before calling elsewhere; patients who have been imposed upon or unsuccessfully treated by others especially invited; board and skillful attention during confinement in private house where ladies will find all the comforts and privacy of a refined home, with the attendance of a regular physician, competent nurses and a mother's careful and kindly supervision; all treatment warranted; advice free and confidential. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 14 McAllister st., San Francisco; hours 10 A. M. to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DRS. GOODWIN makes a specialty of diseases of women and restores all cases of irregularity in one day, guaranteeing a cure or no charge; home for patients, best skill; medical attendance; low fees; regulator $2. 1370 Market st., S. F.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 764 Washington st., near Kearney, and 766 Market st., San Francisco, office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

ECLECTIC PHYSICIANS.

H. T. WEBSTER, M. D.—Office 1065 Washington st.; hours, 1 to 4 P. M.; home telephone 714-7.

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B. T. MOUSER, M. D., eye, ear, nose and throat. 707 Bush st., San Francisco. Hours 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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T. W. MORGAN and Ross Morgan, civil engineers, room 67, Macdonough block, Oakland; room 150, Crocker building, San Francisco.

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A DRY TRIP across the bay; best wines, liquors, mineral waters and fresh beer on tap, together with best cigars and bountiful lunch at the Alameda Exchange, No. 7 Market st., San Francisco. Peter Harder, proprietor.

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REAL ESTATE.

HIS FAITH IN THE MUTUAL LIFE.

Mr. George H. Ripley, for many years president of the Home Life Insurance Company of this city, was a policy holder in The Mutual Life and a persistent one. In 1847 Mr. Ripley became insured in The Mutual Life for $3000. The policy was increased by dividends and finally became a death claim for $11,189.

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If you wish to secure corresponding results apply to Oakland agent,
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THREE sunny furnished rooms, hot and cold water, all modern conveniences, central near all cars, reasonable. 325 9th st.

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THREE large, clean, sunny rooms, nicely furnished for housekeeping; bath, private family; children preferred; references exchanged. 615 15th st.

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COLUSA HOUSE—Two fine furnished bay window rooms to let for light housekeeping, very central and sunny, 1012 Washington st., near 10th.

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HOUSES TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Five acres in Fruitvale, house of 4 rooms, stable, good well and pump, two acres orchard bearing, for sale, 2 dozen thoroughbred Brown Leghorns, 1 Medallion No. 7 range in perfect order. E. Higgman, 810 E. 15th st.

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LOVE in a cottage. You can take your pick of a hundred cottages by reading Tribune Classified.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO RENT.

PARTIES going East wish to let their home of nine rooms fully furnished; very desirable. References. Address Reasonable, box 2, Tribune.

HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED—By family of three adults, a five or six room cottage, furnished, or furnished flat for housekeeping, convenient to local trains. Address H. J. M., Box 1, Tribune.

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LOWER part of house to let furnished for housekeeping, with use of piano; only 6 minutes walk from N. G. depot. 1116 Castro st.

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LA CRIDE HOTEL—Sunny offices and furnished rooms with or without board, to let, single and en suite, at reasonable rates; centrally located to both trains and street railways. Apply 116 Broadway st., Oakland.

WANTED—One or two students can find board and room with refined family near Oakland High School, cost moderate; superior advantages; references required. Address C. M. O., box 2, Tribune.

A WIDOW lady with one child would like one or two children to board; receive a mother's care. Address L. G., box 2, Tribune.

PLEASANT home, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 150 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

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GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built. 463 9th st.; telephone No. 224.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent. 467 9th st.

ALDEN & GARFIELD—Money brokers; houses built on the installment plan; tel. 319. 902 Broadway.

H. B. PINNEY—Lots $150, $1 a week. 903 Broadway.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker. 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478. 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public, money to loan. 958 Broadway bet. 9th and 10th sts.

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IN SAN FRANCISCO—3 fine lots and house, rents $5 price $550; first applicant has the preference. Address box 2242, San Francisco.

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"WHERE ARE YOU GOING
my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to the Fruitvale
Terminal Tract, sir,"
she said, (to buy a lot).
Lots $100 up; very easy terms. D. Pratt, Fruitvale station. The McCarthy Co., 646 Market st., San Francisco.

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FASHIONABLE dressmaker would like engagements by the day. $1.50. Dressmaker, 815 29th st.

ATTENTION LADIES.

Mrs. M. J. Robinson has opened her dressmaking parlors. The most stylish cutting, designing and finishing are done. First class findings furnished, goods if required. Suits well made from $8 to $10. No. 617 San Pablo av., Oakland, Cal.

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FANCY WAISTS and wrappers made and general family sewing done at very low prices or in families at $1 per day by Mrs. M. I. Shields, 919 Alice st., Oakland.

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REAL ESTATE & INVESTMENT CO.
NO. 466 8TH ST., OAKLAND, CAL.

$6000—Completely furnished, price reduced from $8500; 2 story, 9 rooms and bath, lot 50x125, Myrtle st., near 10th, special bargain. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3100—2 story, 8 room house, just completed; lot 35x122; very cheap place and extraordinary easy terms. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

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$4500—Lovely new 10 room colonial residence just completed, replete with every modern convenience; within 7 blocks of 14th and Broadway; exceptional location; terms to good parties $500 cash; see at once. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

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$750—A bargain, cottage of 4 rooms, high basement and stable, lot 50x122; 2 blocks of Fruitvale av. cars, price reduced from $1250; terms to good party. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

$3000—Make offer; estate must be closed; 6 room cottage with lot 41x122 choicely located at Center st. station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company, 466 8th st. 100A

$20 CASH—$7.50 per month, buys a choice lot 25x155; price $520; street sewered and within 3 blocks of Fruitvale station. Laymance Real Estate & Investment Co., 466 8th st.

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A house of 5 rooms one block from Telegraph av., lot 25x100, can be bought for $400; large lath house, shingled, and first class in every way; house in good repair; can you do better? For further particular apply to A. J. Snyder & Co.

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THREE room house, hard finish, lot 47x280, can be bought for $650 on easy payments, lot faces on two streets and handy to San Leandro electric line, couple blocks from power house at Elmhurst.

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EXCHANGES made for any kind of property.

GOLD GRAVEL MINE wanted in exchange for clear land, house or lots.

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EXCHANGE 8 acres of rich valley land for house, lots or gold gravel claim; will assume mortgage.

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FOR SALE—On account of departure from this State, the owner of a 4 room cottage with lot 75x140 feet at the southeast corner of 7th av. and East 21st st., will sell the property at the low figure of $3,000, cash. Mortgage of $600, may be assumed. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 820 East 12th st., East Oakland.

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FINE singing canary birds for sale at $1.50 each. Call at 768 Castro st., City.

A GOOD bargain; for sale, a candy, cigar and notion store, good for restaurant. Apply Telegraph av., entrance to University.

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FOUND—On Christmas eve, at 7th and Oak sts., a gray hound, (with S. F. tag 396). Owner can have same by calling at 53 6th st. and paying expenses.

LOST—Near Bush and 12th sts., brown alligator purse, gilt cross inside. Please return to P. Flynn, drygoods, Oakland.

LOST—A ring, diamond and two sapphires; finder please leave at 1003½ Broadway, room 1, and receive liberal reward.

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PROFESSIONAL teacher of piano; organ and singing, two lessons a week at $5 per month; other one; scholar of Prof. Mueller. Inquire at 274 9th st.

PROF. LOUIS EISENBACH—Graduate of Vienna Conservatory. Piano-forte, voice culture and opera. Brunswick Hotel, 9th and Washington.

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McMANUS & STANLEY—Architects and superintendents. Rooms 26 and 27, Canning block, 1101 Broadway.

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MONEY TO LOAN on improved real estate, Oakland and Alameda; 7½ per cent in sums to suit. Address with particulars, F. S. C., box 3, Tribune.

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FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

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Room for new furniture and carpets at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

After your dinner go to the Macdonough Bar (Fred. Ch. Poock) and get a creme de menthe—the best after dinner drink on earth.

Fresh invoice almonds and walnuts, 25 pounds for 25 cents delivered. Send postal or call. C. J. Enos, 1307 Broadway. Dealer in groceries, fruits, produce, poultry, butter and eggs.

The best and coolest glass of beer in Oakland; pool and billiard tables. The Montana, corner Ninth and Broadway.

Carpets and Mattings,
Parlor furniture, bed lounges. They must be sold at once at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

Tinware.
See our 5c, 10c, 15c, articles. All goods sold very low at H. Schellhaas'.

Wanted!
Buyers for extra or odd bedsteads and mattresses, pillows and comforts. H. Schellhaas.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.

To Exchange
For money, furniture of all kinds at H. Schellhaas', 408 Eleventh street.

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Appropriate Texts for Sunday's Themes at the Churches.

Well-Known and Popular Pastors to Occupy the Pulpits.

The seventeenth anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. will be celebrated tomorrow in all the Oakland churches. The following will be the programmes:

MORNING.

First Baptist church—Annual report, L. G. Burpee; address, Robert S. Boyns of the San Francisco Association.

First Methodist church Annual report, W. C. Barnard; address, H. J. McCoy, general secretary San Francisco Association.

Asbury M. E. church—Annual report, F. A. Jackson; address, Grove F. Ekins, general secretary Sacramento Association.

Chester Street M. E. church—Annual report E. S. Finch; address, J. P. Smith, general secretary Stockton Association.

Tenth Avenue Baptist church—Annual report Chas. Glunz; address, M. M. Myers, Portland, Or.

English Lutheran church—Annual report A. T. Brock; address, D. Edward Collins, president Oakland Association.

Central Christian church—Annual report, W. E. Gibson; address, Lieut. Com. A. V. Wadhams of U. S. Monterey.

Market Street Congregational church—Annual report, F. F. Barbour; address, Rev. Dr. Chapman, pastor.

EVENING.

Eighth Avenue M. E. church—Annual report, F. A. Jackson; address, H. J. McCoy, general secretary San Francisco Association.

United Presbyterian church—Annual report, W. C. Barnard, address, J. P. Smith general secretary Stockton Association.

Fourth Congregational church—Annual report, C. F. Baker; address, Noel H. Jacks, general secretary Oakland Association.

Plymouth Avenue Congregational church—Annual report, W. E. Gibson; address, Grove F. Ekins general secretary Sacramento Association.

Brooklyn Presbyterian church—Annual report, W. B. Fry; address, D. Edward Collins, president Oakland Association.

Pilgrim Congregational church—Annual report, F. F. Barbour, address, R. S. Boyns of the San Francisco Association.

First Christian church—Annual report, M. M. Meyers, Portland, Or., address, Rev. James Small, pastor.

St. Stephen's Mission (Episcopal), Twenty-third avenue, Thomas' hall, East Fourteenth street, near Twenty-third avenue—Sunday school, 3 P. M. Even-song with sermon by the priest in charge, 7:30 P. M. All welcome.

St. Paul's Episcopal, Fourteenth and Harrison, Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector—Harrison, Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector—Brooklyn Presbyterian church, S. S. Palmer, pastor—Morning sermon, 11 o'clock. Subject "The Brother of the Prodigal." Evening, 7:30. Y. M. C. A. anniversary. D. Edward Collins will give the address. One of Oakland's bankers will give some good advice.

First Methodist Episcopal church—At 11 A. M., Mr. H. J. McCoy will speak on behalf of the Y. M. C. A. of Oakland. In the evening at 7:30 Dr. Kummer will give the fourth sermon in his series on popular amusements. His theme will be "The Theater."

Asbury church, corner Clay and Fifteenth streets—Preaching at 11 A. M. Address in interest of Y. M. C. A. by general secretary Grove F. Ekins of Sacramento Association. Annual report read by Mr. F. A. Jackson of Oakland Association. At 7:30 P. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject "Nobility of Character." All are welcome to these services. H. M. McKnight, pastor.

First Baptist church, Rev. C. F. Hobart, pastor—Services 10:30 and 7:30. The morning service tomorrow will be in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Boyns of San Francisco speaking of Y. M. C. A. work. In the evening the pastor will discuss "Jonah and the Whale Story."

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran church, J. H. Theiss, pastor—Services at 10.45 A. M. Subject: "The Christian Living Peacefully With All Men." Services in Lorin hall at 8 P. M.

Swedish Mission church, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. In East Oakland Twenty-fourth Avenue M. E. church, Sunday school and Bible class at 3 P. M. Every one welcomed.

First Presbyterian church—Dr. Coyle will preach at 11 A. M. on "A Garden Without Water"; and at 7:30 P. M. on "Changing Gods; or, A Religious Controversy."

Theosophical society—Lecture by Mr. E. B. Jones of San Francisco. Subject: "Job's Choice." At the Theosophical library, Hamilton hall, at 8 P. M.

Pilgrim Congregational church, Rev. M. Willett, pastor—Subject in the morning: "Virtue Imparted, and How." In the evening representatives from the Y. M. C. A. will deliver addresses.

Eighth Avenue M. E. church, S. J. Carroll, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. Subject: "How to Banish Trouble." Address by H. J. McCoy, secretary of the San Francisco Y. M. C. A., at 7:30 on "The Work of Young Men." Epworth League at 6:30.

Thirty-fourth Street Methodist church—The pastor, Rev. G. H. Jones, will preach both times. Subjects: Morning, "Quench Not the Spirit"; evening, "The Records." Epworth League at 6:45 P. M.

Tenth Avenue Baptist church, pastor, Rev. C. M. Hill—At 11, the seventeenth anniversary of the Oakland Y. M. C. A. will be observed. An address will be made by Mr. M. M. Meyers of Portland, Or. At 7:30, the pastor will preach. Subject: "Men and the Church."

Prospect Hill Presbyterian church, Fruitvale, Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor—Services, 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon: "Our Need of the Holy Spirit." Evening subject: "A Religion of Joy."

First English Lutheran church, corner Grove and Sixteenth streets, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, D. D., pastor—The anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. will be observed at 11 A. M., and Mr. A. T. Brock will read the seventeenth annual report. An appropriate address will be delivered by the president of the Oakland Association, Mr. D. Edward Collins. The pastor, Dr. Bushnell, will preach at 7:30. Subject: "Why Christ Wins." All welcome, and young men generally are especially invited to attend the anniversary service.

Plymouth Avenue Congregational church—The pastor will preach in the morning. Subject: "Jesus of Nazareth, Who Went About Doing Good." Evening, seventeenth anniversary of Oakland Y. M. C. A. Address by Grove F. Ekins, Sacramento, late of Knox college, Illinois.

First Universalist church—Services both morning and evening. Morning sermon by Rev. John Hughes. Subject: "In the Divine Economy There Is No Absolute Loss." Text: "The Son of Man is come to seek and save that which was lost." Luke, 19:10. Evening: Rev. Mrs. Kate Hughes will speak on "Progress in Religious Thought" from the text "And the Lord said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward." Ex., 14:15.

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Reports and Resolutions at the Meeting of Directors.

At the annual meeting of the Home Association for Aged and Infirm Colored People which was held yesterday, at 761 Sixth street, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. A. F. Standford; first vice president, Mrs. H. E. Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Louisa Jackson; third vice president, Mrs. S. Goldstone; recording secretary, Mrs. L. S. Jackson; treasurer, Mrs. Alla Smith; financial secretary, Mrs. R. Leeks; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Thos. Pearson; parking committee, Mesdames J. H. Oliver, L. D. Gardener and M. Humphries; auditors, Mrs. M. Williams, Miss Van Alstyne and Mrs. J. Holland.

Mrs. Thos. Pearson offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That in recognition of the kindness shown us by the Western Outlook, we declare the aforesaid "race" paper the official organ of this association."

Mrs. Louisa Jackson, ex-president of the association, presented the following, which was also unanimously carried.

"Resolved, That we deeply regret the annoyance to which Thos. Pearson has been subjected because of service rendered this association, and be it further

"Resolved, That we denounce the statements published in the San Francisco Elevator reflecting upon his integrity, as having been wilfully false and malicious."

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AMUSEMENTS

Macdonough—"7-20-8."
Oakland—"Ten Thousand Miles Away."
California—"In Old Kentucky."
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Tivoli—"Ixion."
Morosco's—"A Man Without a Country."
Alcazar—"The Wolves of New York."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Ingleside Track—Races.

SATURDAY.....January 25 1896.

The findings of the investigating committee on the charges of Lord Dunraven show that his complaints were groundless. He charged substantially that he had been tricked out of the race by members of the New York Yacht Club. He lost the race because his boat was not fast enough. Dunraven is an honorary member of the club. He must either make proper acknowledgements of his error or go out of the club.

Congressman Scranton of Pennsylvania has introduced a bill which gives Alaska the right to send a territorial delegate to be sent must be elected rights and privileges as other delegates. Alaska is an unorganized territory. It has no local legislature, although it has a Governor and a custom house. The delegate to be elected must be elected by the people. He would represent a small number of whites and a very large material interest.

Governor Greenhalge of Massachusetts has apparently changed his mind about woman suffrage. In his message a year ago he favored the extension of suffrage to women. This year he says the vote on the question at the recent election would seem to show that "public opinion will not for some time be prepared to accept any radical change in the established system of suffrage." The indifference shown by the very large majority of women was conclusive if they don't want suffrage it will never be thrust upon them.

President Kruger's prisoners are described in a telegram from London, especially as to their financial character. "Among those arrested is Lionel Phillips, who is the registered holder of Rand shares to the amount of £1,250,000. Calculations based on known knowledge of the properties of the other prisoners show that the total money value of the property liable to be confiscated is £14,000,000. The clemency shown by the Boers to Dr. Jameson and the other raiders is supposed to cover their intention to keep their grip on the latter's spoil. The fortune of Cecil Rhodes, the ex-Prime Minister of Cape Colony, is estimated at £7,000,000. Besides coming to England to defend the interests of the British South Africa Company, in which he is the ruling spirit, and of Dr. Jameson Mr. Rhodes is concerned in a project for the purchase of Portugal of Delagoa Bay East Africa, by an English syndicate."

An agent of the Free State of Congo has recently been in this country to secure the services of a few Americans. They are said to be secured under the offer of clerkships and officers. The pay is only $300 a year with expenses. A question has arisen whether the enlistment of these men under cover for military services is not a violation of treaty rights.

Minister Le Ghait of Belgium says that while it is true that an agent of the Congo Free State of the name of Lemarinel is in Washington to engage men Americans for the administrative service of the Congo government, there is no ground for any assertion that any breach of neutrality has been committed or contemplated, and no truth in the statement that the Belgian government has any direct official connection with the matter. The Congo authorities prefer Americans to fill certain administrative clerkships and have naturally sent here for them. It is understood that Mr. Lemarinel, who has made no secret whatever of his mission to Washington but on the contrary has courted publicity, has completed his engagements with the men needed and will accompany them to the Congo directly.

On the Upward Grade.

Wheat was sold yesterday in San Francisco for $1 18½ a cental. That is the highest price it has touched in more than a year. It is comparatively a low price, but the upward tendency is strong. It may go a long way beyond the present figure. The Australian markets, according to recent reports, will take from California not less than 250,000 tons of wheat. A large wheat crop in California this year, with the old prices, would set a great many men on their feet who have been sliding down the grade for the last two years.

A report comes from Riverside that the damage to the orange crop in that vicinity is much greater than was first stated. Six hundred carloads of frosted oranges will be withheld from the market. This difference will hardly be perceptible in an aggregate of nearly or quite 10,000 carloads, according to the estimates that have recently been made. Riverside is the coldest district in the orange belt of Southern California. It suffered more than any other in the recent cold snap. According to the present outlook, the citrus growers of California will receive more money for the present crop than was realized in any former season.

The quicksilver men could have a lift of the most important industries the State would be greatly quicken. There is some prospect of a considerable advance in this product. A report that the dealers in New York are trying to create a corner in quicksilver and have been taking it off the Pacific Coast is evidence that the market is improving. On the whole, it looks for many things in California just California ago.

Reminiscences of National Conventions.

The first National Convention was held in Baltimore in 1832, when Andrew Jackson was nominated. Before that time nominations were made either by caucuses of members of Congress, or by the Legislature. Sometimes they were made without any of these formalities. There was something like a general acclamation for some particular man. Washington, the Adamses, Jefferson, Madison, and Monroe were all nominated outside of National Conventions.

Recently there has been something like a canvassing of lucky and unlucky places for holding conventions. Minneapolis, for instance, is not considered a fortunate place because the only Presidential candidate there was defeated. New York is not set down as a fortunate place because the only Democratic candidate nominated there was defeated. Charleston is out of favor because the Democratic convention held there on the eve of the civil war went all to pieces as it ought to have done. Douglas had the support of the Northern element and Breckinridge was supported by the Southern element. More candidates nominated in Baltimore have missed an election than those nominated in any other city.

Here is a list of the Democratic conventions, with the dates and places where they were held.

1832—May 12-12, Baltimore, A. Jackson.
1836—May 20-23, Baltimore, M. Van Buren.
1840—May 5-6, Baltimore, M. Van Buren.
1844—May 27-29, Baltimore, James K. Polk.
1848—May 22-26, Baltimore, Lewis Cass.
1852—June 1-6, Baltimore, Franklin Pierce.
1856—June 2-6, Cincinnati, James Buchanan.
1860—April 23-May 3, Charleston, no nomination.
1860—June 18-22, Baltimore, S. A. Douglas.
1860—June 22-23, Baltimore, J. C. Breckinridge.
1864—August 29-31, Chicago, G. B. McClellan.
1868—July 4-9, New York, H. Seymour.
1872—May 1-4, Cincinnati, Horace Greeley.
1872—July 9-10, Baltimore, Horace Greeley.
1876—June 27-29, St. Louis, S. J. Tilden.
1880—June 22-24, Cincinnati—W. S. Hancock.
1884—June 5-7, St. Louis, Grover Cleveland.
1884—July 8-10, Chicago, Grover Cleveland.
1892—June 21-23, Chicago, Grover Cleveland.
1896—July 7, Chicago.

In this list eleven of the candidates were defeated. Van Buren was once defeated and once elected. Cleveland was once defeated and once elected. His defeat resulted from the nomination made in 1888 at St. Louis. That has not been a fortunate city for Democratic nominations. However, it may be this year for the Republicans. The first National Republican Convention nominated John C. Fremont. Here is a list of the consecutive conventions up to date.

1856—June 17-19, Philadelphia, J. C. Fremont.
1860—May 16-18, Chicago, A. Lincoln.
1864—June 7-8, Baltimore, A. Lincoln.
1868—May 20-21 Chicago U. S. Grant.
1872—Philadelphia—U. S. Grant.
1876—June 14-17, Cincinnati, R. B. Hayes.
1880—June 2-8, Chicago, J. A. Garfield.
1884—June 3-6, Chicago, J. G. Blaine.
1888—June 19-25, Chicago, B. Harrison.
1892—June 7-10, Minneapolis, B. Harrison.
1896—June 16, St. Louis.

There is nothing in these tables that would establish any theory that one city is more fortunate than another for nomination conventions, although Chicago is evidently the favorite city. Candidates have lost and won, not because the nomination was associated with any particular city, but because there was a temporary triumph or defeat of the political policy that was advocated.

Carnegie on Business Men.

Andrew Carnegie is a hard-headed business man whose talks about business have more than the usual interest because he is a successful man and lays down the lines of success for others. He recently delivered a discourse on business to the students of Cornell University. He laid down the proposition that no man is in business who simply works for a salary, not even a bank or railroad president.

"There is no great fortune to come from salary, however high, and the business man pursues fortune. If he be wise he puts all his eggs in one basket, and then watches that basket. If he is a merchant in coffee he attends to coffee; if a merchant in sugar, he attends to sugar, and lets coffee alone, and only mixes them when he drinks his coffee with sugar in it. If he mines coal and sell it, he attends to the black diamonds; if he owns and sails ships, he attends to shipping, and ceases to insure his own ships just as soon as he has surplus capital and can stand the loss of one without imperiling his solvency; if he manufactures steel, he sticks to steel, and severely lets copper alone, if he mine ironstone he sticks to that and avoids every other kind of mining, silver and gold mining especially. This is because a man can thoroughly master only one business, and only if he be an able man can he do this. I have never yet met the man who fully understood two kinds of business; you cannot find him any sooner than you can find a man who can think in two languages equally and who does not invariably think only in one."

As a general proposition this statement may be true. And yet there are any number of instances where men have embarked in two or three kinds of business and have been successful in all. They did not put all their eggs in one basket. Men earning salaries, however large, seldom become rich. Neither do the majority of physicians and lawyers. In a large city some years ago a census was made of all the lawyers, consisting of about 300. A number had become rich. It was found that not one had become so through his professional receipts. He had invested a little money in real estate or some other growing business. The secret of success is briefly stated in this paragraph:

It is a simple matter of honest work, ability and concentration. There is no question about there being room at the top for the exceptional man in any profession. These have not to seek patronage; the question is rather, how can their services be secured, and, as with every profession, so in every line of business there is plenty of room at the top. Your problem is, how to get there. The answer is simple: conduct your business with just a little more ability than the average man in your line. If you are only above the average your success is secured, and the degree of success is in ratio to the greater degree of ability and attention which you give above the average. There are always a few in business who stand near the top, and, fortunately for the Cornell graduate, there are always an infinitely greater number near the bottom. And should you fail to ascend to the top the fault is not in your stars but in yourselves. Those who fail may say that this or that man had great advantages, the fates were propitious, the conditions favorable. Now there is very little in this; one man lands in the middle of a stream which he tries to jump and is swept away and another tries the same feat and lands upon the other side."

The speaker cited the fact that the members of the present British cabinet were found to hold sixty-four directorships in various manufacturing and mining companies. The President of the French Republic had been a successful business man all his days. When the late Emperor of Germany wished to make the great steel manufacturer, Krupp, a prince, that business man begged the Emperor not to degrade him from the rank he held as king of steel.

A Blow at the Black List.

A Florida court has recently rendered a decision that touches directly the legality of the black list. A young man in that State resigned his position in a railroad company and accepted a better offer in another company. A few days afterward he was discharged for no apparent fault. On inquiry, he found that he had been black listed by the former company for leaving their service without giving the requisite notice. There was no other complaint. He was a faithful and competent man. But as long as his name was on the black list he could get no employment by any railroad in that State.

The man brought suit against the railroad company that had blacklisted him and obtained a judgment for large damages. The court held that such a proceeding was clearly illegal. The fact that it had become a common practice only made the abuse more outrageous. Under this decision every employe of a railroad company who leaves its service suddenly, as on a strike, and is placed on the black-list and for that reason is prevented from obtaining employment elsewhere, has a good cause of action. No corporation can lawfully pursue a man because he has chosen to leave its employment. If the Florida decision stands, it may open the way for a great many persons to seek redress in the courts. Black-listing for once has been put under the ban.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH.

BREAKFAST

Wheatlet — Sugar and Cream
Fruit
Mutton Chops — Potato Scallop
Buckwheat Cakes — Coffee

DINNER

Tomato Soup
Roast Beef — Cranberry Sauce
Sweet and White Potatoes
Boiled Onions — Peas
Mayonnaise of Celery
Wafers — Cheese
Plum Pudding
Nuts — Apples — Raisins
Coffee

SUPPER

Deviled Crabs
Peanut Sandwiches
Cottage Cheese — Wafers — Chocolate

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On January 25 of the years named occurred the following events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Juventinus, Appolo, Publius, Projectus, (or St. Prix), Poppo.

BIRTHS.

1827—Robert Boyle.
1674—Thomas Tanner.
1709—Paul Whitehead.
1770—Francis Burdett.
1759—Robert Burns.
1772—James Hogg.
1786—B. R. Haydon.
1811—Daniel Maclise.
1813—James Marion Sims, M. D.

DEATHS.

1829—William Shields.
1865—Jno. T. Norton, musician, Philadelphia.
1869—Francis W. Pickins, ex-Minister to Russia.
1870—Alfred Hennon, New Orleans.
1870—Fraulein Ida Pfeiffer, Berlin.
1870—Professor Ben. W. Dubley, M. D.
1872—Richard S. Ewell, ex-Confederate general, Tennessee.
1885—Com. George D. B. Glidden, Cambridge, Mass.
1886—David R. Atchison.
1892—Emperor Nicholas I.

OTHER EVENTS.

1327—King Edward II. deposed.
1502—Marriage of Princess Margaret to James IV of Scotland.
1830—Robert Hayne's great speech in defense of the "Foote Resolution."
1842—Battle of Hawe Creek.
1863—Organization of the First South Carolina Colored Loyal Volunteers.
1862—Major General Burnside relieved by Major General Hooker.
1866—Freedman Bureau bill passed the Senate.
1867—The Danish formally annexed to the German Confederation.
1867—The President vetoes the Colorado Admission Bill.
1869—Assassination of the Governor of Burgos by partisans of the Clerical party.
1870—Peabody funeral fleet arrives in Portland Harbor from England.
1871—Longway surrendered to the Germans.
1871—Statue of Lincoln in the rotunda of the Capitol unveiled.
1877—Justice David Davis of the United States Supreme Court elected United States Senator from Illinois.
1879—Bill providing for the payment of arrears of pensions signed by the President.
1882—Guiteau convicted of murder.
1885—Twenty persons injured in a railroad collision at Brussels.
1885—Liberty Bell arrives at New Orleans Exhibition.
1886—Disgraceful scenes in the Ohio Senate.
1886—The Athenians resolve to fight for Thessaly and Epirus.
1886—General Barillas elected President of Guatemala.
1887—Severe defeat of the Italian troops by Abyssinians near Massowah.
1887—Ex-Gov. W. B. Bate elected United States Senator from Tennessee.
1887—Female suffrage resolution defeated in the United States Senate.
1890—Nellie Bly completes trip around the world in seventy-three days.
1890—Pan-American delegates visited Baltimore.
1892—Gold bearing meteorite discovered, Calaveras, Cal.
1892—Message of President Harrison sent to Congress about Chilian affairs.
1892—Alice Mitchell murders Freda Ward.
1892—Chili withdrew the offensive note by Prime Minister Matta to United States and apologizes for Valparaiso riots.
1893—Princess Margaret married to Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse.
1894—Fifteen persons killed in a railroad wreck near Samara, Russia.
1894—The Cauca Valley, South America was inundated, causing the most destructive flood in the century.

SHAKING THEM UP,

Regent Reinstein is Making the Old Board Get Around.

THE STUDENTS LIKE HIM.

An Enterprising Berkeleyan Buys San Diego's Mummy.

CLASS ELECTIONS ARE ON.

A Laudable Crusade Against Cruelty to Animals Started.

BERKELEY, Jan. 25.—An interesting bit of gossip is being noised about among the students at the University. It has to do with Regent Reinstein and the rest of the Board of Regents. Some of the students say that the old members of the Board appear to thing Regent Reinstein just a little too energetic and about as headstrong as an alligator on the banks of the Nile.

Several of the Regents wanted Reinstein to postpone his improvements at the University until a more favorable time, but he would not hear to it. He said that if the Regents did not come over and become acquainted with the grounds he would have maps made and bring the grounds to them. It took about every minute during meetings for Reinstein to explain his maps and that is why they say he talks during seventy-five per cent of the time.

The students laugh and think it is a good joke on the Board. They say they were almost ignorant of the fact that there was a body called the Board of Regents until Budd appointed his old classmate and if he is shaking things up a little the board ought not to mind after its long sleep. For his energy the new Regent has won the admiration of the entire student body. He is cheered vociferously when addressing them and meets hearty approvals from them. It is said that "Josh" is going to have a nice little cartoon on the matter if it won't be considered as "joking the faculty."

A GIGANTIC FREAK.

Fred Ransom of Berkeley who ekeps out his livelihood as a deputy marshal, taxidermist and collector of curios has now won renown for himself in the college town by purchasing the eight foot four inch mummy (found or made) near San Diego last spring. The specimen was offered to the Smithsonian Institute after it was taken to Washington but the "profs" quibbled over the price and Ransom snapped it up. He is having a wagon built and as soon as his purchase arrives in May, will take it on a tour of the State. He expects to make a nice little sum in this way and is already the hero of the Berkeley small boy.

VALUABLE LECTURES.

The first of a series of six lectures arranged by E. B. Payne, pastor of the Unitarian church, took place in Stiles Hall last evening. Professor William H. Hudson of Stanford spoke on "Walt Whitman" before a large and appreciative audience. The remaining lecturers are President David Starr Jordan of Stanford, Colonel Charles Greenleaf, Helen M. Cougar of Indianapolis, Rev. Myron W. Reed of Denver and Professor Charles Mills Gayley of the University of California. The lectures will occur at Stiles Hall on alternate Friday evenings.

CLASS ELECTIONS.

The Sophomore class met yesterday afternoon and elected officers as follows: President A. L. Dorn, first vice president, Percy M. Newhall, second vice president, Miss Boovard, secretary, A. C. Olney, treasurer, H. F. Hill; executive committee, Graham, Reeve, Thayer, Leggett and Miss Phelan.

No action was taken with regard to the Sophomore circus and thus it was indefinitely postponed. The "Sophs" think they will have their hands full with breaking up the Freshman Bonfire.

Next Wednesday the Seniors will hold their class election and a hard campaign is now being made.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

An evil day has come for the hard hearted men in Berkeley. Humane Officer May is hot on the trail of a man who carved his cow's tail. He has inserted the following in the daily papers:

"There have been several cases of cruelty to animals reported to the Berkeley Humane Society lately. One of the worst of these was cutting off a cow's tail and slashing the animal with a knife. In the same neighborhood there has been considerable poisoning done. Inoffensive pigeons and dogs have been tortured to death without any respect for the feelings or the rights of their masters. There is good reason for believing that the perpetrators of these dastardly crimes live between Berkeley and Lorin. A reward of $10 will be paid for evidence leading to conviction.

O. G. MAY."

A NEW STREET.

It is now possible to have a decent thoroughfare between Berkeley and Lorin. Mrs. Matthews has steadily refused to give up her land for this purpose and even took the matter into the courts to restrain the street superintendent. She has now dismissed her suit and the deed for the disputed land has been executed recorded and delivered. Mrs. Matthews has also deeded to the town a part of Calais street, which she claimed they had no right to dedicate for street purposes.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The Philosophical Union met last night in Professor Howison's lecture room, North hall. Professor Slate read a paper on "The Bearing of the Latest Developments of Physical Science upon the Reality of Human Knowledge."

A portion of the University fence has been removed and the survey for the new walk is rapidly progressing.

The Crescent Athletic Club gave a dance and social at the club rooms last evening.

The committee appointed by the West Berkeley Progressive Club is hard at work interviewing leading citizens on the bond question.

Charley Gomperts has left for Books Inlet to superintend the erection of three canneries for the Pacific Steam Whaling Company.

Lieutenant Winn has offered to give the gun club ammunition free of charge if the members will practise with the military rifles occasionally.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

By the strangest coincidence three men met in the House restaurant at Washington the other day whose names were Wheat, Oates and Barley. They began to hunt around and found another man whose name was Rye. They had never met before and immediately cemented their ties of relationship by a liberal patronage of the bar. The only remarkable feature about the story is that it is true.

Hypnotism as a defense reduced a young Russian murderess's sentence to five years' imprisonment. She was an heiress of Varzin who had killed her father by slow poison under the influence of a hair dresser employed to massage her, who used an ointment that made her lost all control over herself. The experts testified that the girl was unusually susceptible to hypnotic influence naturally, and that the massage treatment renders even healthy persons undergoing it subject to such influence.

Of 224 persons treated for rabies by Pasteur's method at St. Petersburg last year only three died of hydrophobia; two of these deaths occurred during the treatment before the inoculation had had its full effect, the other was a patient brought in thirteen days after he was bitten. The rabid animals were 193 dogs, 18 wolves, 7 cats, 5 horses and 1 pig. At Odessa 98 persons were inoculated, the death rate being only one-third of one per cent. One case is recorded of a patient dying one year after inoculation. He had been severely bitten by a mad dog. The wounds were cauterized within three hours after their infliction, and was afterwards inoculated, but died of hydrophobia just a year after the inoculations.

Milk as a fire extinguisher was used with great success in Orrs Island, Me., a few days ago. A milkman of that place found his kitchen ablaze on returning home at night. He went to the well to draw water to throw on the flames, but in his excitement lost the bucket in the well. He then ran into the dairy and got a big can of milk and threw the contents on the flames, which had by this time gained good headway. He emptied can after can of milk on the fire, and eventually quenched it and saved his house. Now the neighbors are making ungenerous jokes about the effectiveness of the milk as a substitute for water.

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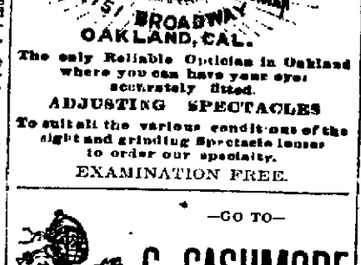

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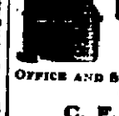

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SOCIETY NEWS

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DINNERS AND RECEPTIONS.

Reliance Night Scored by Long Odds the Success of the Week.

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"The Meddler" Chats Merrily of Doings of the Swell Set.

Home from the Macdonough dear Tribune, and what a merry, jolly show it was to be sure. It was like seeing your own family act in your own drawing room. And how we did applaud! Frost-bitten Oakland really awoke, rubbed its nuts-filled eyes and inquired "Where are we?" Then we clapped, at first good-naturedly, then enthusiastically at last rapturously. We always do. The Charley Company was a good thing but somehow we never realized quite how good until we heard that Saturday night was to be the final one. However, we hope that this farewell may be like the famous Patti farewells, and that there may be always just one more.

I really think this was the chef d'œuvre of the company. "Rosedale" was good, but this was worked up charmingly and was really quite professional. There was nothing amateurish about the performance except the drop curtain. Who would have thought that the Macdonough curtain would rise to the occasion like that?

As a mark of appreciation the club presented the company with some magnificent floral tributes and entertained some of the members of the club (male) presented some of the members of the company (female) with exquisite flowers with a personal application. By the way, what do violets mean in the language of flowers that children know? Hasn't it something to do with the tender passion? It seems to me I have an echo in my brain somewhere. Miss Daisy Belle Sharp received two of the most stunning bouquets of violets I have ever seen. All the other members were similarly remembered. Dainty Maud Morrell received exquisitely appropriate white hyacinths. Mrs. Ewing was lost under an artistic bunch of shaggy yellow chrysanthemums. Harry Thomas, I honestly believe, cabbaged one of the baskets of violets and early spring jonquils.

How did they play? Oh, as Shakespeare says, "excellently well." They did not mouth the words. Nobody was affected or stage struck. Everyone looked and acted their prettiest, and the result was a play so well-balanced and symmetrical as any amateur performance ever given in the land. The play "7-20-8" is one of the Daly plays. Consequently its cleverness and dexterous plot goes without saying. It is full of amusing situations, not one of which was allowed to slip. Jack Wilson, our own handsome Jack, who is the same old boy in spite of the fact that he is a happy papa, was "Courtney Corliss." John Drew's old part. He took it very well. You know he is an admirable lover—devoted tender, passionate. He jerked his mustache in much the Drew fashion, and if both his eyes were not straight he might look a little like the ugly, fascinating John.

Alex. Rosborough we saw in a new role. We fancied he could only be a minstrel or a clown, but he developed into an old gentleman comedian, with an admirable make-up, and a dressing gown like a bathrobe. Alex. was every bit as good as a professional, and in the headache scene fairly great.

Harry Thomas was "Paul Hollyhock" newly married. Poor Harry, how they did guy him. Not but what his acting was all right, for he was very clever, but every time he put his arm around his young wife, the one on the stage, not the one in the dress circle, everybody laughed. Harry blushed through his rouge but kept his face straight. It was really excruciatingly funny. It reminded me of the way we guyed Phil Remillard in "Rosedale" when he said he didn't drink.

Frank Mathieu, who was the Leslie correspondent in Rosedale, was an Italian, late master of the ballet. His character work was really extremely clever and well-sustained. Everyone was astonished at the finish of it.

Harry Quinn was the postman, not as a diver. He had one effective scene with Miss Morrell.

Charlie Dickman as "Professor Gaslight" was as good as any professional in the part. He was a clever bit of character acting.

Mrs. J. Cal Ewing was "Mrs. Hyphen Barger." Mrs. Ewing is a charming little actress and played her part with grace and dignity.

Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, as "Dora Hollyhock," looked perfectly charming in stunning gowns.

Miss Maud Morrell had Ada Rehan's part, "Flos," a character which she played with the simplicity, grace and freedom an character lends of her. Her rendition was spirited, too, and she did the petulant scene to perfection. Miss Morrell certainly has the makings of a very excellent actress in her. We will watch her career with interest.

Edna Elsemore was the clever and pertinacious maid servant—she of the neat ankles and omnipresent feather duster.

The play went smoothly from the very beginning. They didn't have any prompter. Leo Cooper managed the stage and made a brief speech at the close of the third act.

And the house? It was very prettily and well-dressed. All the boxes were taken. Harry East Miller was host in one with Myra Prather and Miss Mhoon. James Moffitt and Florence Dunham were among his guests. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waldron and Miss Gaskill were in the adjoining box. They all looked very swell—hatless and in evening dress. After all it is by far the prettiest and most becoming. I was sorry I wore my hat even if it was a new and very pretty one. All the girls in the Miller box wore nodding American Beauty roses, only they were too high to get the full effect.

George Uhl gave a theater party in the right-hand stage box. His guests were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Uhl, Miss Mabel Craft and Mr Blake. Mrs. Uhl wore pale blue and was without a hat. Miss Craft wore grey silk and American Beauty roses.

The Strong girls and Mr Townsend were in the next box. Miss Lillie Strong and Miss Georgie Strong wore white gowns and big black hats, a striking combination.

The audience was full of well-known people—all Oakland, it seemed to me. In the first row of the dress circle were Dr. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, P. M. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Craft, Miss Ethel Bates, Mrs. Fannie Merriman Thomas, radiant in pink and green, Charles Bates, Miss Kittredge, Mr. and Mrs Carl Knight, Mr and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs Will Henshaw, Miss Ferrier, Judge and Mrs. Henshaw, Lieutenant and Mrs. Carmine, the latter in pale blue satin, Miss Rosa May, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Meehan, Miss Meehan, Miss Knowles, Mr. Phillips, Irving Lewis, Mrs. A. A. Moore, Miss Ethel Moore in a pink shirt waist, Al. Moore, the Pringles, Harl North, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell, Mr. McCormick, Phil Remillard, Ollie Vinzant, Miss Evelyn Remillard, the Misses Moffitt, Miss Mayne Merriman, Mr Merriman, Dr. and Mrs A. F. Merriman Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Rob Knight, Mrs. Chabot, Misses Josephine and Claire Chabot, Miss Mamie Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melvin, J. Cal. Ewing, the Misses Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Florisne Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Adams—these were a few of our crowd that I saw through my lorgnettes or shook hands with in the foyer. It was a very gay crowd. I do not think our set will be out in such full force tomorrow night, though I hear Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard is to give a large theater party. Mrs. Chabot's, I think, was the largest tonight.

After the play there were many petit soupers at the Maison l'Opera and at private houses. Harry Quinn's mother gave him a dinner before the play—he took part, you know. Among the guests were the Misses Strong.

Tomorrow night there will be a reception to Maud Morrell, who is going on the truly stage instead of the mimic one very soon. She is a sweet girl and we shall always have the warmest kind of interest in her.

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And now I suppose I must pick up the tangled thread of last week. Really, I don't know where I left off. Where was I? O, yes, at the Macdonough last Saturday night. It was all clever and more charity. I understand the Unitarians netted $400, which was more than they expected and good for one night. Everybody was very clever and there were all sorts of impromptu jokes. There were so many encores that we didn't get home until Sunday morning shocking, wasn't it? But, all for charity, you know. That's our excuse. Dr George Pardee, Uncle George Bromley, Miss Kavanaugh and Alex Rosborough divided the honors, I thought. There can be no doubt about it—Dr. Pardee should have been a lawyer. After the performance, thirteen of the principal performers and members of the committee dined at the Maison l'Opera. It was a merry little supper and lasted far into the morning, and they say that Uncle George is superstitious about the number, thirteen, too.

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Miss Knowles' luncheon last Saturday was a charming affair. The table was bright and beautiful, with cut glass, silver and Perle du Jardin roses and menu cards daintily formed of rose petals. Those at table were Mrs. Mark Requa, Mrs. Edson Adams, Misses Mary and Florence Dunham, Mrs. Harry Adams, Miss Mamie Knowles, Miss Hall, Miss Bertha Wilcox, Miss Amy McKee, Miss Alice Grimes and Miss Nellie Chabot.

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Mrs Spiers of Berkeley gave a dinner to San Francisco people almost exclusively on Thursday evening. There were twelve guests and the decorations were hyacinths.

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Mrs Mastick of Alameda gave a large card party tonight. All the Alameda contingent were there and were consequently missed from the Macdonough.

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The guests at the McNear dinner given recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear by Mr and Mrs George McNear Jr were Miss Amy McKee, Miss Mae Tucker, Miss Ella Goodall, Gus McDonald, John McNear, Mr. Campbell, Miss Bessie McNear, Mr and Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear.

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Dr E. H. Pardee is quite ill again. His condition is not so alarming as it was last summer, but still serious enough to cause his friends anxiety.

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The news that has saddened me this week was the death of Joe Pierce formerly of Berkeley now of Santa Barbara. Mr. Pierce was the magnificent fellow who used to play centre on the football team. He was a superb specimen of physical manhood, a Chi Phi, a thoroughly good fellow and one of the most popular men in the University. His death was terribly sudden—a few days of tonsilitis. All Santa Barbara mourns, and a great many hearts in other places as well. Joe was a dear good boy, and so bright and merry that no one could help loving him. The students lovingly called him "Our Joe." Well, he is still "Our Joe." He was betrothed to Miss Helen Cashman of Alameda, and the wedding was to have taken place soon. Miss Cashman has gone to Santa Barbara.

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At Miss Howard's dinner given before the Bachelors and Benedicts cotillion, the other evening, the following were present: Miss Marie Rose Dean, Miss Jessie Glascock, Miss Nina Pringle, Ned Pringle, Fred Magee, Harry Miller, Maud and Karl Howard.

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The Hopkins Art Association is to give a Mardi Gras ball in the beautiful Hopkins house on Shrove Tuesday, February 18th. It will be the last big society event before Lent. There will be many guests from this side of the bay. As a spectacle, it will be well worth seeing. The ladies are to be masked and in dominoes of fancy dress. The gentlemen will not mask. Dancing on the polished floors of the Hopkins house is simply a dream.

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At the dance this week of the Monday Evening Dancing club the following Oaklanders were present: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Magee, Miss Jessie Glascock, Misses Hoffman and Al Clement. The Magees and E. A. Greenwood were at the Tobin dinner, which preceded the dance.

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The engagement of Miss Julia Lombard, Berkeley's pretty and petite brunette, to S. H. Perkins, who is the San Francisco agent of the Santa Fe, is announced.

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Jim Toler has returned from a three weeks' trip in the southern part of the State. He has decided to permanently establish his concert studio in this city, at 546 Albion street, where he can be found every day but Friday, when he is at his studio at 841 Post street, San Francisco. Mr. Toler is making a deserved success with his voice culture lessons. He is an accomplished musician in every way and his pupils are making rapid progress.

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On Thursday night the Alameda Married People's Protective Association gave a dinner at Harmonie hall, Alameda. All the Tisdales, Tillers, Morrises, Plummers and Clays were there.

The next party will be a leap year affair on February 13th.

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The Saturday Morning Orchestra will give a concert before Lent. February 17th is the date set, and this time the orchestra that has drawn the bow and fingered the strings so many times for charity will play for its own benefit. They want a fund for music and instruction. The concert is under Mrs. Wright's direction, which means it will be quite as charming as heretofore. They have chosen a gloomy old building—Metropolitan hall. It is big, but is a resting place for all the "isms" and long haired ideas of our rattle brained humanity. It isn't half fresh and clean enough for these young girls.

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The engagement is announced across the bay of Miss Leah Gust to Ignatz Lowengart. Miss Gerst has quite as many friends outside as inside Jewish circles. She is a lovely girl, the oldest child of a charming family. Her father and mother are Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Gerst of Pierce and McAllister streets, and her grandfather A. Anspacher, who is called "Old Man Benevolent." The engagement receptions will be held next Tuesday and Thursday, and the wedding will be a grand affair.

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Mrs. J. C. Hampton gave a tea today. She was assisted in receiving by Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Lillian Strong, Miss Mamie Baker, Miss Carrie Ritter, Miss Edith Browne of Alameda and Miss Helene Bell.

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The wedding of Dr. Edwin Reese and Miss Lelia Hatch took place at the home of the bride in Berkeley on Thursday evening and was a quiet affair. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. B. Hatch of the Berkeley Congregational church. The groom is a graduate of the Cooper Medical College, and will practice at Ukiah, Mendocino county, whither the couple went after the wedding.

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Mrs. George Fountain has been visiting her sister, Miss Nora Andrews, at Woodland.

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A leap year party was given to Miss Ayden at her residence on Folger avenue, Golden Gate, on Saturday evening. Those present were Miss Jackson, Miss McLellan, Miss Doyle, Miss Abbott, Miss Lugg, Miss McMenomy, Miss Flanagan, Miss Wood, Miss Illege, Miss Smith, Miss Storey, Miss Robertson, Miss Hill, Miss Jennings, Miss Kennea, Miss Kane, Miss Young, Miss McDonald, Miss Reader, Miss McPhee, Miss T. Doyle, Miss E. McLellan, Miss A. Kane, Miss M. Storm, Miss Hampton, Messrs. Sullivan, Flanagan, McLellan, Lobersheimer, Bardin, McDonald, Harrington, McManus, Wood, Lugg, Armstrong, Kane, Gregory, Smith, Young, Murphy, McMenomy, Beeman, Nordt, Kaskens, Ayden, Abbott, Norwood, Dr. Murray, Mr. Hill, C. McDonald.

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Mrs. A. J. Ralston and Coralie Selby left for Louisville, Ky., on a visit. On their return they will bring back Clare Ralston, who has been visiting there so long.

Dear Tribune, it's a tired and sleepy girl now. The rain is pouring down, but all the players and all the merry-makers are safely housed by this time, so it is all right.

Au revoir to you all, and to all a good night. Your little friend,

THE MEDDLER.

THE WHEELOCK WHIST CLUB

Mrs Gordon Stolp entertained the Wheelock Whist Club at her home on last Thursday afternoon. Despite the stormy weather most of the members were present and some scientific playing was indulged in. Among those present were Mrs. Reni Chabot, Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs Fred Stratton, Mrs. Kittredge, Mrs. Chas. Holt, Mrs W. H. Chickering, Mrs Fine, Mrs. Frank Kendall, Mrs. Sether, Mrs. Gorrill and Mrs. T. L. Barker.

THE KNOWLES LUNCHEON.

Miss Mattie Knowles gave a pretty luncheon last Wednesday at her home on Jackson street. The decorations were extremely pretty and a merry gathering assembled. Many of those present were old schoolmates who have known each other for years. It was therefore a congenial crowd. Among others present were Miss Mary Dunham, Mrs. Mark Requa, Miss Spier of Berkeley, Miss Kate Spier, Mrs. Harry Adams, Miss Lizzie Watt, Miss Alice Grimes, Miss Hattie Hall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Bertha Wilcox, Miss Amy McKee and Mrs. Edson Adams.

THE HAMPTON AT HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton gave the first of their afternoons "at home" yesterday. The decorations of smilax and red carnations were tastefully arranged. They were assisted by several members of the "Club of Thirteen."

Among those present were Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Currier, Mrs. Fred Knight, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. McCone, Mrs. McKay, the Misses Eva Knight, Lemmon, Rawlings Simmons, English, Mahoney, Millan, Stevenson, Knight, Howard, Bennett, Stull, Connors, Holt, Kent, Currier, Channell, Burrell and others. Those who assisted in receiving the guests were Miss Lilian Strong, Miss Brown, Miss Craig, Miss Mamie Barker, Carolyn Ritter, Miss Marledna Snell and Miss Whitney.

THE CRAIG CARD PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs Homer Craig gave a card party this week at their beautiful new home on Lake street. It was a gathering of the Knight Templar Social Club and of course a delightful affair. Over fifty players sat at the tables playing six-handed euchre. After the game the guests were hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Craig.

Following are a few of those who enjoyed the evening: Mr and Mrs. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Gaskill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mr. and Mrs A. W. Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. Smitle of Berkeley.

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

Miss Louise Simmons gave a luncheon to the "Unlucky Thirteen Club," at the home of John T. Wright, 1313 Madison street, one evening this week. It was a pink luncheon and very pretty in its effect.

All of the members of the club were present excepting Coralie Selby, including Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Marguite Knight, Miss Helen Lohman, Marguite Joliffe, Grace Holt, Ethel Kittredge, Emma Mahoney, Lillian Strong, Carrie Ritter, Laura Crellin, Mona Crellin and Gail Converse.

THE CARR-BEEL CONCERTS.

The first of the new series of the Carr-Beel Saturday Popular concerts will be given in Golden Gate Hall, San Francisco, on February 8th. This is the fifth year since these concerts were started. They have made a record unparalleled in the musical world of San Francisco. The prospects for the coming series are encouraging.

The first programme will comprise Mozart's beautiful quintette for clarinet and stringed instruments, Godard's piano trio in F, and some short pieces for clarinet and piano by Niels Gade. This will be the first time for the latter to be played on the coast.

AN ANNIVERSARY SUPPER.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the East Oakland Presbyterian Church, celebrated its tenth anniversary last night. The parlors of the church were prettily decorated with green and in the center of the room was set a large table. Around it sat the many guests while a most delicious supper was served. It evidently was not a night of fasting with the young Christians. Stories and anecdotes were told, jokes were cracked with the nuts and on the whole the young people had a most enjoyable time. Addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Palmer, Miss Pierce, Mr. Lowell and other prominent members of the church. It was a reception to the charter members who first organized the society and they had reason to rejoice at this birthday of the organization. Ten years ago the club was formed and since that time it has grown steadily until it has attained its prosperous and vigorous condition. It is one of the strongest organizations of its kind in the city, and boasts of a large membership.

Following are those who belong to the society, most of whom were present at the supper last evening.

H. W. McDonald, Mary E. Pierce, A. G. Stuart, Sadie J. Dewing, Mrs. McDonald, Gertrude Sherbourne, Wilbur Walker, Lizzie C. Luth, Lucy Vrooman, Carrie L. Gardner, William J. Gardner, Sarah Vrooman, Mrs. A. G. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stuart, Edith Robinson, Hattie E. Capell, Clara O. Pierce, C. H. Merithew, Mrs. Hattie Merithew, Eva Morgerson, Annie Brewer, G. A. Brewer, Edith Lang, Alice L. Osburn, W. F. Brewer, George E. Lowell, Mrs. L. M. Lowell, Florence B. Lovell, C. A. McCracken, F. L. Voorhies, Laura Wallace, Robert Grubb, Eva Peabody, Mabel Daly, Miss Emma and Maggie McDonald, Hattie Brown, Mr. Hobson, W. H. H. Hamilton, Mr. Palmer, Carrie McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, Edgar Alexander, Jennie Wheaton, Millicent Wheaton, James Sutherland, Kate Wolfenden, James Wolfenden, Edith Wade, A. C. Platt, Edith Alexander, Frank Alexander, Miss Dodge, Miss W. Hussey, May Smith, L. Kemp, Mattie Boop, Walter Hussey, Dr. and Mrs. N. N. Chamberlain, Annie Fox, Blanche Woodward, Sadie Storey, Gertrude Thayer, Mabel Thayer, Bessie Crane, May Watson, Dolly Summer, Ralph Summer, Miss Shurtevant, Mr. Vose, Miss Read, Misses Bessie and Alice O'Neil, Magdalene Blanchard, Annie Hobson, Minnie Sutherland, Pierson Morehouse, Nesbit Kemp, Chester McClain and William Watson.

THE UNDERGROUND SOCIAL CLUB.

A short time ago a party of young Oaklanders organized a club which they called the "Underground Social Club," for social and literary purposes. Their club rooms are at 456 Seventh street. Meetings are held two or three nights a week and the time is enjoyably spent. Members of the club are welcomed and made "at home" at all hours.

Several pleasant smokers have already been given and a club run is contemplated. For this latter event a fund is being raised. The membership is limited to twelve.

Following are the officers: President, O. M. Peck, vice president, H. P. Pangburn; secretary and steward, Mr. Kelly; treasurer, A. B. Durrell; sergeant at arms, George Phillips. The members are Charles Dock, Ed Davis, Harry Lewis, Frank Woodbridge and K. Chamberlain.

Visitors are admitted only by visiting cards which may be had from the president.

A RECEPTION.

Rev Mr. and Mrs. P. Mitchell, gave a reception at their residence on Fruitvale avenue last night, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Doig. The parlors were prettily decorated for the occasion. After the dinner had been served, music and social intercourse was indulged in until a late hour. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. P. Mitchell, Mrs. Melville, Mr and Mrs. J. Y. Millar, Mr. and Mrs. A. Doig, Mrs Pettit, Miss Pettit, Miss L. Rutherford, Miss Margaret Rutherford, Messrs. William Doig, William Ford, Peter Ford, Angus Martin, J. Y. Millar Jr., Alex. Mitchell, John Mitchell, Douglas Melville, Arthur Mitchell, Mary Melville, Perunna Pettit, Minnie Mitchell, Mary Mitchell, Perunna Pettit, Minnie Pettit, Clara Snow.

THE DURGIN BIRTHDAY.

One of the prettiest parties of the winter among the juvenile set, was that given by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Durgin, in honor of the third birthday of their daughter Mina. Notwithstanding the unpleasant weather seventeen of the tiny guests invited were present. The little tots were daintily attired in prettily colored dresses, producing a pleasing effect as they gathered together. After enjoying an hour of music and games each guest was presented with a souvenir cap. Then, led by their hostess they marched around the parlor and out into the dining room. The table was spread with dainties the young mouths could appreciate.

Miss Durgin received many valuable birthday presents, which in years to come will be highly valued. Among those present were Lawrence Rankin, Melvin Harland, Willie Hartz, Paul and Josephine Schaffer, Fern Golden, Laura Corles, Lelia and Allan Harlow, Wilford Crowell, Mabel and Louise Casavant, Edna Caro and Joel Scoby.

A FRATERNITY BALL.

The Lambda Theta Phi Fraternity of the Oakland High School gives a ball at Masonic Temple tonight. The fraternity is composed exclusively of girls, who are enterprising enough to undertake to give a large ball. Miss Zena West is at the head of the affair and with Walter Dayton will lead the German.

The others to be in the first set are Ruth Wilder and George Guppy, Amy Phelan and Arthur North, Alma Brown and Ray Burrell, Ethel Whitney and Will Olney, Agnes Horland and Arthur Brown, Mamie Kent and W. Creed.

MEN'S LEAGUE SOCIAL.

The Men's League of the Brooklyn Presbyterian church, East Oakland, gave a reception to their friends last Friday evening. The social was entirely under the direction of the gentlemen of the church. The ladies, according to Rev. Mr. Palmer, having nothing to do but to go and enjoy themselves without a thought of cake to cut or dishes to wash.

A fine programme had been prepared and lavish arrangements for refreshments were made, but the storm rendered it impossible for many to be present. However those who were there had a royal good time. The orchestra rendered a fine selection, W. R. Evans gave a humorous recital, which was fully appreciated, and Mrs. Dodge favored the company with a vocal solo. The others on the programme were not present.

"The next order," to once more quote Mr. Palmer, "was the serving of refreshments, which certainly bore the distinction of being out of the ordinary, but this added zest to the appetites and the gentlemen had the satisfaction of perceiving that their efforts in this direction were a success."

THE MORCK SOCIAL.

A very pleasant social was given last Saturday evening at the residence of Mrs. Morck on Twenty-first street near San Pablo avenue in honor of Miss Carrie Morck. A very interesting little programme, consisting of literary exercises and music was rendered. After lunch games were indulged in until nearly 12 o'clock. The friends present were:

Miss Maggie Scott, Miss Minale Lebrecht, Miss Johanna Vockel, Miss Stella Luffkin, Miss Ella Jennings, Mr. Theodore Jennies, Mr. Frank Lewis, Mr. F. E. Madden, Mr. T. L. Madden, Mr. Harry Bennett, Mr. W. S. Smith, Mr. L. Puffkin, Mr. A. Manning, Mr. F. Manning, Mr. W. Young, Messrs. Frank and Fred Jennings, Mr. Morck and Master Leonard Morck.

SYMPHONY CONCERTS.

The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, the recently organized musical society, has arranged for a series of semi-popular and symphony concerts to be given on Friday afternoons in Golden Gate Hall, 625 Sutter street, San Francisco. This organization is composed of some of the best professional musical talent on the coast. Many of the members are soloists of note on their respective instruments, some belonged to Scheel's orchestra and not a few have figured in Eastern concerts—James Hamilton Howe, the conductor, is well known in this city and throughout the East for his executive ability and su-

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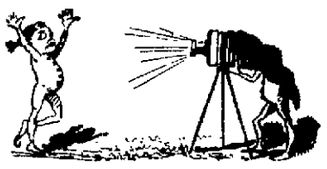

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FLINT'S PHARMACY,

SOCIETY NEWS

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sical talent. Bernhard Mollenhauer, the concert master, is also well known in musical circles. He is from New York, coming to this coast three years ago. Since that time he has done much to advance the musical interests of San Francisco. He is without a peer in this section as a violin soloist.

One symphony concert will be given each month and the remaining Friday devoted to the popular concerts. The plan pursued by this society will be similar to that of the Boston Symphony, under Henschel and Gericke, and the New York orchestras under Seidl and Damrosch. The programme will be arranged to suit the varied tastes but Wagner's works will receive especial attention.

The following list of prominent soloists, coupled with the names of those in charge, assures the success of the entertainments.

Nathan Landsberger, Mr. Mollenhauer, Louis Von der Mehden, violin; Carl A. Paulsen, flute; C. H. Dickman, oboe; E. W. Kent, clarionet; J. Maudsley, bassoon; O. Schlotz, French horn; W. H. Cleverly, trombone; C. Mihran, E. Lada, F. Hess, A. F. Johannsen, E. Baumgartel, M. R. Fleischman, H. Schnack, H. Bowen, G. Selo, C. Schumacher, T. Blatchford, L. Chapuy, R. Patek, F. Arguindegui, A. Minor, C. Gerlich, E. Johannsen, E. H. Clarke, H. Arf, K. Gluno, C. Schumacher, E. L. Merritt, H. Zoberbier, G. M. Ramsey, G. W. Loyde, E. Kelley, C. Chittman, W. Delany, H. Overbeck, G. M. Wright.

THE MITCHELL WHIST PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell gave a progressive whist party at their home in Alameda last Friday evening.

Frank Otis won the first gentleman's prize, a silver shaving mug; and Mrs. Clarence Smith won the first lady's prize, a writing portfolio. H. T. Lally won the gentleman's booby prize, an invitation prayer book containing a pack of cards and counters; and Miss Kent of Oakland won the lady's booby prize, a set of ivory whist counters. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Dillman, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wiggin, Mr. and Mrs. Hawchurst, Mr. and Mrs. Lally, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Maestick, Mrs. Jere Day, Mr. and Mrs. Clay, Mrs. McIlnery, Mr. and Mrs. Okell, Mr. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Marquis, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Laffin, Miss Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Otis, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Outcalt, Miss Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelly, Miss Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Vallean, Mrs. E. A. Smith, and Captain Morse.

SCOTCHMEN CELEBRATE.

St. Andrew's Society celebrated the 137th anniversary of Robert Burns' birth by an entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Wednesday evening. The auditorium was crowded with patriotic Scotchmen who applauded vigorously the popular songs of their native land.

DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY.

Oakland Council No. 3, Daughters of Liberty, gave an informal social and dance at Upper Hamilton Hall last Monday evening. An impromptu programme was rendered, including recitations by Miss Helen Buteau and Miss Cooper, Members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. were present and everyone seemed a part of the spirit of sociability which reigned, until a late hour.

The next regular meeting of the council will be held in Fraternal Hall on Washington street, on Friday evening, January 31st, at 8 o'clock. It is proposed to make these informal socials a feature after the regular business of the meeting is over, and members of the junior order are invited to be present. Only the American born are eligible for membership, and it is hoped to build up a congenial body of people and cultivate fraternity and mutual improvement.

Y. M. I. REUNION.

Councils 6, 8 and 31, Y. M. I., had an enjoyable reunion in their hall last Tuesday evening. The room was prettily decorated with greens and flowers. A sumptuous banquet was served to which 60 members sat down. Toasts were drank and after supper a short programme was rendered. Toast Master R. H. Hammond made a welcoming address and introduced Grand President Lynch, who responded to the toast, "Our Order."

Following is the order of the evening: Toast, "Our Country's Flag," McGivan, president of No. 8; "San Francisco," Cody, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," M. McInnis, president of No. 31; toast, "Spiritual Guides and Protectors," Rev. Father Histin; recitation, Frank Mellican; toast, "Fraternity," Joseph Kenney, No. 8; specialties, Joseph Healy, No. 8; toast, "Y. M. I. in Alameda County," James S. Carey, No. 31; song, Mr. Adam; toast, "The Ladies," John Connolly, No. 8. The programme concluded by the singing of "America," by all present.

JOURNEYMAN BUTCHERS' BALL.

The ball given by Oakland branch No. 2, Journeymen Butchers, at Germania Hall, Wednesday evening, was a great success. It was the occasion of the fifth anniversary of the lodge and was unusually elaborate and select on that account.

All the extra dances were leap year dances, the young ladies having the privileges. Much fun was occasioned by this, which was a fitting climax to the pleasantry of the entire evening.

Following are those who had charge: Committee of arrangements: Chairman, James Stephens; Frank Fennon, George T. Loher, Gus Roemer, William Rettig.

Reception Committee: George Warren, William Such, William Wilkenson, Emmet Fryer, A. L. Hamilton, Charles Miller.

Floor Committee: Floor managers, Joe Pickford, Joe Stutz, Charles Olinc, Fred Knott, J. J. Douglas, F. B. Bartels.

AN ENGAGEMENT RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Happ gave a pleasant reception to their daughter Becky last Sunday, at their home, 851 Adeline street. It was given in celebration of Miss Happ's engagement to Mr. Gold.

The afternoon and evening were enjoyably spent in dancing before which a short musical and literary programme was rendered.

Harry Harris gave a well chosen recitation, as did also Miss Hersch and Miss Herrmann. Miss Silverstein and Miss Elias favored the company with a piano duet. The young couple were showered with congratulations and best wishes. The date of the wedding is not yet set.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. Hersch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. L. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, the Misses Cora Miss Bonn, Mr. and Mrs. Bear, Mr. and Mrs. Elias, the Misses S. and E. Elias, Leo and Etta Silverstein, Mrs. Flexner, Ray and Edward Flexner, Mr. and Mrs. Friedlander, Mr. Berg, Mr. Robert Friedlander, Blanca Hersch, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Harry Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Frquardt.

COMPANY A BALL.

Company A, 12th Infantry, N. G. C., is busy making preparations for its first ball of 1896. It will be given on Wednesday evening next at Armory Hall. The members are working hard and success seems assured. The balls given by this company in the past have always proved most popular and entertaining. The one on Wednesday promises to even eclipse those former affairs.

The hall will be prettily decorated and refreshments served. Music will be furnished by the Fifth Infantry Band and the evening spent in dancing.

THE GALINDO SOCIAL.

The guests of the Galindo hotel gave their third monthly social and concert in the hotel building last night. The halls and stairway were prettily and copiously decorated for the event. The banisters on either side were covered with large sprays of green freshly cut and fragrant. The walls of the hall were similarly bedecked. In addition to this, large, handsome Japanese and fancy palms, umbrella plants and other potted plants were artistically placed about the spacious building. In the dining room, where the dancing was enjoyed, the same care and taste was displayed. The red carpet and green trimmings blended well together, making the house a veritable bower.

After an excellent musical programme the dining room was cleared for dancing. There were twelve dances, with three extras, which occupied the entire evening and also a portion of the morning hours. The entire affair was a great success. A large gathering was present, and all enjoyed themselves, everything passing off smoothly under able management.

Following are those who had charge:

Committee of Arrangements — Ugo Talbo, E. E. Woodhouse, F. E. Atkinson, Mrs. F. G. Peeket, Mrs. F. E. Woodhouse, Mrs T. G. Duncan.

Floor directors—A. Chamberlain, T. G. Duncan.

Floor committee—J. A. Nolan, R. M. Jamison, A. Karlson, H. C. Knapp, H. C. Bilger, E. E. Laymance.

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Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray, Dr. and Mrs. Fearn, Dr. F. E. McCullough and ladies, Mrs. F. G. Peeket, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Duncan, Mrs. M. C. Robinson, Mrs. E. M. Laymance, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyall, Mr. and Mrs. A. Yale, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Standing, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Woodhouse, Mrs. F. Vanbrocock, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. M. Jacobs, Mrs. P. Bernet, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Mrs and Mrs. O. M. Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mr and Mrs. R. P. Dey, Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Todd, Mrs. A. A. Salto, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Webb, Mrs. B. F. Cummings, Mrs. G. P. White, Mrs. M. J. LeNoir, Mrs. J. F. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson, Mrs. L. F. Blackburn, Mrs. Frank Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cosgrove, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hilson, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Crap, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Weir, Mrs. L. J. Haskell, Mrs. Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. O. T. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William S. J. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Snow, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Kukem, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schow, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. E. Howard, Dr. and Mrs. Kukein, Mesdames S. H. Parsons, A. Abrahamson, R. C. Myrick, L. Blackburn, Y. W. Cohen, Hoxie, G. R. Sharpe, E. Nadams, S. A. Dockard, B. C. Wels, Lillian Reardon, D. Levin, H. Jones, H. A. Chapman, L. Haskell, Lucella Haskell, M. J. LeNoir, Mrs. Lathrop, Mr. and Mrs. Bulencamp, Mrs. A. Keating, Mrs. W. M. Kary, Mrs. Geo. S. Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Storey, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Hickman.

Misses Mabel Alderson, Carrie Montgomery, Edith Snow, Belle Wyte, E. Levin, Ella Flynn, Maud Toohy, Mary Reardon, Annie H. Larsen, Dollie Shelz, Maud Gwynne, Pearl Hickman, Clara Reese, May Goobie, Madge Summers, Lyda Whelan, Nellie Whelan, Bessie Lynch, K. Bennett, S. Sharp, Leaha Falk, May Moss, Lillian Fleming, Sophie Leipsic, Rosa Morris, H. Lippman, Edythe Hutchins, Annie Andrews, A. Andrews, Annie Kink, Rete Waltenbaugh, Neata McBurtz, Julian Benson, Sadie Myrick, Louisa Wiedersheim, Nellie Sohst, Emma Gallagher, Minnie Spalhawk, Gussie Arp, Ella Good, Anna Good, Maud Nelson, Teresa Dohl, Tiny Wells, Jone Van Noy, Emma Wells, Ida Harris, Lottie Pearce, Annie Davis, L. Eggris, Emily Dixon, Kate Comstock, Gertrude Bennett, Gretchen Bernett, Agnes Farley, Maud Toey, Flora Fraser, Ray Hilson, E. Crist, Edith Titus, Nettie Morris, Rose Morris, Amy Soule, Minnie Atkinson, Mary Wyrme, LeNoir, Imogene Lyal, Leo Falk, Annie Kennedy, Minnie Alves, George Manson, Daisy Strong, Elsie Thomas, Bergis, Annie McCall.

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Much of the success of the affair is due to Mrs. M. S. Robinson, the proprietress of the Galindo.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Misses Audiffred are entertaining Miss Belle McArthur of Woodside and Miss A. Shelley of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faulkner have gone to Portland to remain until the middle of February.

Attorney J. H. Lucas will move to Mariposa shortly to practice his profession.

Mrs. Sumner Hughes, who is in Pasadena, is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

Mrs. F. C. Watson is suffering from a slight indisposition.

Bert Brayton, who has been threatened with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Irving Lewis has issued invitations for a card party to be given in honor of her sister, Mrs. Giles Euston, who is expected from the East next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George De Golia gave a dinner party to six, Thursday evening.

On February 8th the Deux Temps will give a leap year party to be the last dance of the season. There was no first set in the German last Saturday for the first time since the organization of the club. The whole assembly was a first set led by Dwight Hutchinson and Robert Ayers.

The Fortnightly Club met as usual last night. It was an assembly, no German being danced.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Enigh will receive their friends on the 1st and 3d Wednesdays of each month, at their residence, 557 Albion street.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig will give a party at their Lake street home, next Wednesday. On their silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Craig were given a silver salad bowl by the "Field and Home" staff of Brown, Craig & Co. The staff was promised that they should be the first to use the bowl and the promise is to be fulfilled Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Strong will give a party complimentary to the "Club of Thirteen" at her home on Tenth and Magnolia streets, next Friday night.

Mrs. Quinn of Castro street gave the players of "7-29-9" a dinner before the performance last night.

Mrs. A. A. Pennoyer contemplates a trip to Europe, for the purpose of educating her children.

The Acorn Club will present the farce, "Who's Who" at Van Britton's tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powning and William Powning have purchased a cottage at Belvedere, where they will spend the season.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear gave a complimentary dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear last Tuesday evening.

The Daughters of St. George have made arrangements for a valentine party to be given on the 11th of February.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a reception in honor of Mrs. B. Stutevant Peet, at the residence of Mrs. Clowan, 1702 Goss street, this afternoon. Mrs. Peet is State president of the union.

Ugo Talbo, the famous tenor, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium next Wednesday evening, having been secured as a special attraction for the testimonial concert to Mr. Howe, which was postponed last week. This addition to the programme completes an array of talent that cannot be excelled and which is sure to draw a large audience. Bernard Mollenhauer and Nathan Landsberger, the favorite violinists; S. Homer Henly, bassoo; Miss Josephine Sistermans, soprano; Louis von der Mehden, 'cellist, and Miss Gretchen Bernett, contralto. A rare programme is promised.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, January 24, 1896.

People's Home Savings Bank to Johanna A. Ruppert, SW 28th and Myrtle sts W 122-6 x S 35 blk 654, Keene tract, Oakland; $10.

Jas. A. and Celia M. Johnson to J. E. Prewett, E 13th av 100 S E 21st st S 60 x E 100 blk 128 Clinton, E Oakland; $10.

Martin Walsh to Bernard Sperry, S E 15th st 15 E of E budry line Town of San Antonio th E 75 x S 150, ptn Cannon tract, East Oakland; $1.

Geo. W. Zittle to Lottie Zittle, lots 51 to 55 resub Mackinnon and Coopman tract, Brooklyn township; lots 14 and 15 Piedmont Villa tract, Oakland township; gift.

Wm. J. Laymance to Edmund J. Shattuck, NE Walnut st 216 SE Bay View av NE 25 E 150 NW 25 W 150 to beg, being the E ½ lot 19, blk 11, Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

H. B. and Laura A. Pinney to Florence O. Boon, E Prospect st 100 S Chicago av S 50 x E 115, lots 14 and 15, blk H revised map Prospect Hill tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Harry L. and Jessie Coleman to Julia M. Coleman, all interest in Estate of John W. Coleman; $5.

J. B. McChesney extr Estate Ella J. Moe to L. S. Burchard, NW Harrison and Durrant st N 50 x W 150, Oakland; $8000.

Trinidad Villa by J. A. Webster tax coll to A. Mccartney, lot 40, blk 550, Scott Property, Oakland; $8.

Anna A. Miller to A. Schroyer, N cor 18th av and E 20th st NE 140 x NW 150 blk 55 San Antonio, East Oakland; $10.

Laura E. Abbott wf S. B. to Jas. Morse, lots 23 and 24, blk I, Broadway Terrace, subj to a mtge of $70, Oakland township; $10.

Jas. and Angeline Morse to Jas. O'Boyle, same, Oakland township; $10.

John R. Glascock extr Est W. H. Glascock and Mary A. Blow to Chas. and Emma C. Riesenweber, Lot 40 Glascock & Blow, Temescal tract, Oakland township; $10.

J. M. and L. B. Martinez to Jose Guillermo, E 6th 150 N University av E 120 N 65 to center Strawberry creek th W to E 6th st S to beg, ptn blk 85, Sisterna tract, Berkeley; $10.

Jos. McKeown to Town of Berkeley, S Dwight way 640 W McGee st or av S 250 E 60 N 250 W 60 to beg, to be used for public street, Berkeley; $1850.

Mary B. Mathews to same, NE cor Calais st and Smith's sub ptn Mathews tract th W 60 N to N line lds of 1st party th E 60 S to beg, to be used for public street, Berkeley; $10.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to Cal. Guarantee Invest Co., lots 6 and 7, blk 1; lots 1 to 4, 6, 14 to 17, 27 blk 2; lots 11, 12, 21, 22 and 23 blk 3, Dowling tract, Berkeley; $10.

Jas. and Christina B. Park to Lorenzo D. Utman, lots 36 and 37, blk E, Elmhurst tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

S. M. and Harriet H. Haslett to Geo. H. Tyson, SW Clinton av and Walnut st W 44 x S 120 blk D, Bellevue tract, Alameda; SE Clinton av and Walnut st E 49-6 x S 120 blk C, Bellevue tract, Alameda; SE Clinton av and Cedar st E 43 x S 120 blk B, Bellevue tract, Alameda; $10.

Horatio B. and Maggie Valpey to John W. Craycroft, 20.69 acres com at pt in middle Co road Washington Corners to San Jose at cor common to

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Mrs. Dr. Stockham's Return.

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8:04 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:45 p
9:37 a	Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Sagta Barbara and Los Angeles	4:09 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:04 a
2:00 p	*Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:00 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:04 a
4:06 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:04 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
7:36 p	**Vallejo	*7:14 p
7:36 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a
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Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
8:00 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and ***Oroville	3:37 p
9:00 a	***Peters and Milton	***6:41 p
1:00 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:41 p
6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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7:00 a	To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fruitvale, Elmhurst, San Leandro and Haywards	9:39 a
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12:00 p		2:08 p
3:00 p		5:08 p
4:00 p		6:08 p
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7:00 p		10:08 p
9:00 p		11:18 p
11:00 p		6:38 a

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2:15 p	***Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	***11:14 a
5:15 p	Newark, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 a
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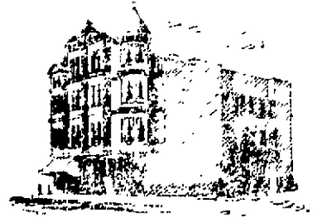

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PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the Estate of Mary Lefford, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Lefford, deceased, and for the issuance to James Lefford of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, January 21, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Shook & Church, attorneys for petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF JEFFERSON MAURY, deceased.
Notice is hereby given to the undersigned, executrix of the last will of Jefferson Maury, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix at her residence, at No. 1417 Shattuck avenue, in Berkeley, Alameda county, California, the same being her place of business for the transaction of the business of the said estate.
ADELAIDE C. MAURY,
Executrix of the last will of Jefferson Maury, deceased.
Dated at Berkeley, January 11th, 1896.

LEGAL.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of Frank Hawthorne, an insolvent debtor.
Order of adjudication of insolvency.
Frank Hawthorne having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Frank Hawthorne is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that the Sheriff of the County of Alameda, be and he is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal of the said Frank Hawthorne, insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate.
All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda in open court at the Court Room of said Court, in the County of Alameda, on the 27th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered, that in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent be stayed.
Dated January 18, A. D. 1896.
W. E. GREENE,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Endorsed: Filed January 18, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. Sinclair, Deputy Clerk.
Frederick C. Cliff, attorney for insolvent.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of T. J. Fish, insolvent debtor.
T. J. Fish having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said T. J. Fish is hereby declared to be insolvent.
The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as is by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate.
All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.
The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 27th day of January, 1896, be and appear before the Hon. John Ellsworth, Judge of the Superior Court, of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Court Room of said Court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 27th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered that in the meantime all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.
Dated January 18th, 1896.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.
L. D. Manning, attorney for petitioner.
Endorsed: Filed January 18, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. Cal Ewing, Deputy Clerk.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain Deed of Trust, duly executed by Howard Black and Kate O. Black, his wife, parties of the first part, Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, parties of the second part, and The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, party of the third part, dated October 7th, 1892, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 506 of Deeds, at page 119 and following; and in pursuance of a resolution passed on the 13th day of January, 1896, by the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of said The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, a Corporation, and the holder of the note (Loan No. 950), to secure payment of which the aforesaid Deed of Trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the principal sum and other sums, due under said note and Deed of Trust, and requesting and directing said Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, to sell the real estate described therein, to satisfy said indebtedness.
We, Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, do hereby give notice, that on Monday the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896, at two (2) o'clock P. M. of that day, and at the Auction Sales Room of William J. Dingee, No. 460-462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, State of California, we will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in Gold Coin of the United States, all that piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the land conveyed by Howard Black to Edgar W. Chapin, by deed dated January 6th, 1891, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, in Liber 425 of Deeds, page 15, being on the dividing lines between plots Nos. 2 and 3, hereinafter mentioned and distinct, on said dividing line 40.32 chains east of the center line of County Road 1529 and running thence easterly along said dividing line between plots Nos. 26 and 31, 0.177 chains, thence north 25 chains 48 links, thence west 40 chains 48 links to the easterly line of the land conveyed to said Chapin by deed dated November 1st, 1892, recorded in the office of said Recorder, in Liber 487 of deeds, page 253, and thence southerly along said easterly line of said land so conveyed to Chapin by said two deeds, 25 chains 48 links to the point of commencement, containing 102½ acres of land, more or less, and being a portion of plot No. 26 as laid down and delineated on the map of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose, affixed to the Referee's Report in the case of Bernal versus Bernal for portion of said Rancho.
Together with the appurtenances.
Terms of Sale—Cash in Gold Coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer, balance on delivery of deed; and if not so paid, unless for want of title (ten days being allowed for search), then said ten per cent to be forfeited, and the sale to be void. Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.
SAMUEL M. MARKS,
ROBERT J. DAVIS,
Trustees.
Dated January 22, 1896.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF ALBERT HOPKEN, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Albert Hopken, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at the law office of Reed and Nusbaumer, S. F. corner Ninth and Broadway streets, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Albert Hopken, deceased.
MARIE C. HOPKEN,
Administratrix of the estate of Albert Hopken, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for administratrix.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Oakland Street Railroad Company will be held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1896, at No. 458 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal., at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing term.
W. P. MELVIN,
Secretary East Oakland Street R. R. Co.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.
To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.
Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:
The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.
And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.
Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.
And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.
Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 29th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County, at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1883, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 23, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.
Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:
Bond numbered One, one year from date.
Bond numbered Two, two years from date.
Bond numbered Three, three years from date.
Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.
Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.
All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care C. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."
F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Mary S. Schofield, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with the will annexed.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Schofield, deceased, and for the issuance to H. S. Hasseltine of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.
Dated, January 13, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
Indorsed, filed January 13, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
W. G. Witter, attorney for petitioner, Mills building, San Francisco, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of J. M. D. Green, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of J. M. D. Green deceased, and for the issuance to Wm. H. Knight of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, January 15, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed January 15, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Olsen & Whitmore, attorneys for petitioner.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE LICENSING FOR PURPOSES OF REGULATION AND REVENUE EVERY KIND OF LAWFUL BUSINESS, HEREINAFTER SPECIFIED, TRANSACTED OR CARRIED ON WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND ALL SHOWS, EXHIBITIONS, AND LAWFUL GAMES CARRIED ON THEREIN, FIXING RATES OF LICENSE TAX UPON THE SAME AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS.
Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in carrying on, pursuing or transacting within the County of Alameda, any occupation, business or calling, hereinafter specified, must procure a license and pay a license tax therefor, as hereinafter provided. Said license tax must be paid in advance to the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance. Separate licenses must be procured, and the separate license tax paid for each branch, establishment, or separate house of business located in said county.
Section 2. License taxes shall be collected at the rate in this Ordinance prescribed, from the taking effect of this Ordinance provided that nothing in this Ordinance contained shall affect the validity of any license issued before the taking effect of this Ordinance; provided, however, that if any person, firm or corporation shall engage in, carry on or transact any business or occupation without having first procured the license in this Ordinance prescribed, there shall immediately become due and payable the entire license tax for the period for which the rate is in this Ordinance fixed.
Section 3. The Auditor must keep a ledger, in which he must keep the collectors' account of all licenses delivered to him, sold or returned unsold by him.
Section 4. The person charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, must make diligent inquiry as to all persons liable to pay license tax, as provided in this Ordinance, and in all cases where the amount of license to be paid by any person, firm or corporation, is based upon the amount of receipts of sales affected, or business transacted, such person, firm or corporation shall render a sworn statement in writing to the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, made before some officer authorized to administer oaths, of the total amount of receipts, sales made, or business done by said person, firm or corporation respectively, during the three months next preceeding the expiration of the last license, which statement shall determine the amount for which such license shall be issued or renewed; and thereupon such person, firm or corporation must procure a license from the County of Alameda, for the term desired; and the class for which said party is liable to pay, and in all cases, where an under estimate has been made by the party appearing the party making such estimate, or the person, firm or corporation he represents, are required to pay for a license for the next quarter, double the sum otherwise required; and the said person so charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, is hereby authorized to bring suit against any person, firm or corporation, liable to pay a license tax, who sells, neglects or refuses to pay the proper license tax, or who carries on, or attempts to carry on, business without first paying said license tax, for the recovery of said tax.
Section 5. On the first Monday in each month the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes under the provisions of this ordinance must return to the Auditor all licenses unsold, and be credited therewith; and must pay into the County Treasury, for the use of the County General Fund, all moneys collected for licenses sold during the preceding month.
Section 6. Auctioneers are divided into eight classes, and must obtain licenses from the said County of Alameda, as follows: Those whose average monthly sales amount to $100,000 and upwards, constitute the first class, and must pay a license tax of $200 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $75,000, and less than $100,000 constitute the second class, and must pay a license tax of $150 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $50,000, and less than $75,000, constitute the third class, and must pay a license tax of $100 per quarter, those whose monthly sales amount to $30,000 and less than $50,000, constitute the fourth class, and must pay a license tax of $75 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to $20,000, and less than $30,000, constitute the fifth class, and must pay a license tax of $50 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $10,000 and less than $20,000, constitute the sixth class and must pay a license tax of $50 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to $5,000 and less than $10,000, constitute the seventh class, and must pay a license tax of $25 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to less than $2500, constitute the eighth class, and must pay a license tax of $7.50 per quarter.
Section 7. Licenses must be obtained for the purposes hereinafter named, and payment must be made as follows:
No 1: Proprietors of billiard or pool tables, not kept exclusively for family use, for each table $1 per quarter.
No. 2: For a bowling alley, $1 per quarter for each alley.
No. 3: For each exhibition, for pay, of a caravan or menagerie, or any collection of animals, circus or any acrobatic performance, $25.
No. 4. For each show, for pay, of any figures, jugglers, necromancers, magicians, wire or rope dancers, or slight of hand exhibition, $5 each day.
No. 5: For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of expressing, transmitting or conveying goods, wares or general merchandise of every kind and description, by wagons or vehicles drawn by horses or mules $15 per quarter.
Section 8. Every person engaged in the business of a pawnbroker must pay a license tax of $20 per quarter.
Section 9. Every traveling merchant, hawker or pedler, who vends goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind (other than his own manufacture, or agricultural, horticultural, ranch of farm produce or butchers' meat or fish), must pay a license tax of $10 per quarter; unless he uses a wagon or other or more animals for the purpose of vending such goods, wares or merchandise, in which case he must pay a license tax of $15 per quarter; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to bona fide merchants of said Alameda County who have fixed places of business, and who supply goods, wares or merchandise to other merchants or dealers within said county, who, also, have fixed places of business.
Section 10. Every person who keeps a stallion, jack or bull and who permits the same to be used for the purpose of propogation, for fire, must obtain a license therefor, and pay therefor as follows:
No. 1: Horses that are hired for the purpose of propogation for the season at $100 or more, constitute the first class, and require a license of $75 per year.
No. 2: At $75, and less than $100, constitute the second class, and require a license of $50 per year.
No. 3: At $50, and less than $75, constitute the third class, and require a license of $40 per year.
No. 4: At $30, and less than $50, constitute the fourth class, and require a license of $25 per year.
No. 5: At less than $30, constitute the fifth class, and require a license of $15 per year; for each jack $25 per year; for each bull, $10 per year.
Section 11. In any action brought under or arising out of any of the provisions of this ordinance, the fact that a party represented himself or herself as engaged in any business or employment, for the transaction for which a license is by this Ordinance required, or that such party exhibited a sign indicating such business or employment, shall be prima facie evidence of the liability of such party to pay license.
Section 12. The conviction and punishment of any person for transacting any business without a license, shall not excuse or exempt such person from the payment of any license due or unpaid at the time of such conviction.
Section 13. The provisions of this Ordinance shall not be construed as requiring the payment of any License Tax or the procuring of any license for any exhibition or entertainment given for the benefit of any church, school, or other charitable object, by any amateur dramatic association, or literary society of the town or district in which such exhibition or entertainment is given.
Section 14. It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to establish, open, keep, maintain or carry on within the County of Alameda, any saloon, bar, store, dram shop, tippling place, stand or any place where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, are sold or given away; or for any person, firm or corporation (except as hereinafter provided), to sell within the limits of the County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof without having the permission and license therefor as in this Section of said Ordinance provided.
No. 1: No license issued under any of the provisions of this Section of said Ordinance shall be assignable or transferable without the consent of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors endorsed thereon, and only to such person, firm or corporation as have obtained from the Board of Supervisors the permission hereinafter required, and having filed a bond as hereinafter provided, and complied in all other respects with the requirements of this Ordinance.
No. 2: No person, firm or corporation shall have issued to him or them the license required by this section of said Ordinance, unless such person, firm or corporation, be of good moral character, and first obtain permission as provided herein, by making application in writing to the Board of Supervisors at a meeting thereof, for permission to obtain the license herein required and shall file with said application a written recommendation signed by not less than five out of ten of the citizens of the County of Alameda, residing nearest the place where the applicant or applicants propose to carry on the said business, each of whom must be a freeholder, and the "head of the family," as that term is defined by Section 1261 of the Civil Code of the State of California.
The application in writing herein required shall contain and set forth:
First: The name and residence of the applicant or applicants, and how long he or they have resided in said County of Alameda.
Second: The particular place for which a license is desired.
Third: The name of the owner of the premises.
Fourth: That the applicant or applicants are the only person or persons in any manner interested in the business asked to be licensed, and that no other persons shall be in any way interested therein during the continuance of the permission.
Fifth: Whether or not the applicant or applicants have had a permission or license for the sale of liquors in said Alameda County, during any time preceding his or their present application, revoked.
Sixth: That the applicant or applicants are of good moral character and suitable to conduct such a place. This petition must be verified by affidavit of applicant or applicants, made before the County Clerk, or some authorized Notary Public.
3. Such applicant or applicants shall, at the time of making application for permission to obtain a license, file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a bond in the penal sum of One Thousand ($1000) dollars, with two or more sureties, who shall each be residents of the County of Alameda, and shall each qualify in double the amount of the penal sum of the bond; said bond to be approved by the Board of Supervisors, and conditioned that the said applicant or applicants shall conduct the business for which the license is sought, in a quiet, orderly and reputable manner, and will not permit any breach of the peace or disturbance of the public order or decorum, by any tumultuous, riotous or disorderly conduct upon the premises, and shall not sell, give or furnish any intoxicating liquor, spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine, or any admixture thereof, to any person in a state of intoxication, or addicted to the inordinate use of intoxicating liquors, or to any person under the age of 18 years, and shall not allow any person under the age of 18 years, or intoxicated person to be or remain upon premises where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wines is sold to be drank on the premises and shall not sell or give away any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine between the hour of 12 o'clock P. M., and the hour of 5 o'clock of the following morning; and that said applicant or applicants shall obey and abide by all laws and Ordinances now in force, and which may hereafter be enacted, regulating the time of closing saloons and places of business where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, are sold or given away, shall forfeit all permits and licenses theretofore issued to said person, firm or corporation, under the provisions of this Ordinance, and also any license that may have been issued to said person, firm or corporation, under the provisions of this Ordinance subsequent to the filing with the Board of Supervisors of the complaint next hereinafter mentioned.
5. Any elector of the said County of Alameda, may file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a complaint against any person, firm or corporation whom he has reason to believe is guilty of any of the acts or neglects, specified in subdivision 4 of Section 14 of this Ordinance, which complaint must be in writing, and must specifically set forth any violation or violations by the party complained against, of any of the provisions of said subdivision 4. At the next meeting of the Board after the filing of the said complaint, or if the Board is in session at the time said complaint is filed, the Board shall fix a time for the hearing thereof, and at the time so fixed shall investigate the charges so made in said complaint. Notice of the time so fixed, of at least five days, shall be given to the person, firm or corporation complained against. If, on such investigation the said Board shall find that the said complaint is well founded, and that any charge or charges therein contained, are true, it shall so declare by resolution, and shall by the same resolution, revoke the permit theretofore granted to said person, firm or corporation, and revoke all licenses theretofore issued to said person, firm or corporation under the provisions of this Ordinance, and said licenses shall thenceforth be without force or effect. Said Board may, also by the same resolution, declare the bond required by subdivision 3 of Section 14 of this Ordinance, given by said person, firm or corporation, forfeited, and direct action to be brought thereon to recover the penalty thereof.
6: The license tax under this section of said Ordinance shall be as follows. For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling or giving away or in any manner furnishing, in any saloon, bar, stand or any other place of business or in any public place within the County of Alameda, and for every person, firm or corporation who sells or offers to sell, or keeps for the purpose of sale, within the said County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, $30 per quarter, payable in advance to the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes, under the provision of

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this Ordinance, provided that druggists and apothecaries shall not be required to obtain a license under the provisions of this Ordinance, for furnishing liquors upon the written prescription of a regularly licensed and registered physician, such liquor in no case to be used or drank upon the premises, nor for supplying alcohol or preparations containing the same, for scientific, mechanical, medical or medicinal purposes provided, further, that no spirituous, malt or vinous liquors shall be sold or furnished more than once on any one prescription of such physician, nor that no physician shall prescribe any intoxicating liquors as a beverage to any person addicted to the inordinate use of intoxicating liquors.
Section 15. Every person, who shall within the County of Alameda, keep or assist in keeping any saloon, bar, stand, dram shop, tippling place, stand or any other place, where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wine is sold or given away without having first procured the permit and license required therefor by the provisions of this Ordinance, or who shall sell or give away within the County of Alameda, any spirituous malt or fermented liquor or wine without having first procured the permit and license required therefor by the provisions of this Ordinance, or after the same may have been revoked by the Board of Supervisors, as in this Ordinance provided, and any person who shall conduct or carry on any business, occupation or calling for which a license tax is required by the provisions of this Ordinance, without having first procured the license required by this Ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.
Section 16. The person charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall have the power to make arrests for the violations of any of the provisions of this Ordinance. The said person so charged by law as aforesaid with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, is also further require to report to the Board of Supervisors monthly the names and locations of the places of business of all persons to whom licenses have been issued during the previous month, also the amounts paid, and the kind of license issued.
Section 17. The Board of Supervisors shall have power to order a free license issued to any person, who may apply therefor, whenever in their judgment the same may be necessary to enable any applicant who may be poor and unable to pay his license tax, to earn a livelihood.
Section 18. Every person, firm or corporation receiving a license under this ordinance shall place the same in a conspicuous place in his or its place of business and all peddlers and other persons who will have no fixed place of business must produce and show their license whenever required to any person who may make demand to see the same.
Section 19. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance licensing for purposes of regulation and revenue every kind of lawful business hereinafter specified, transacted or carried on within the corporate limits of the County of Alameda, State of California and all shows, exhibitions and lawful games carried on therein fixing rates of license tax upon the same, and providing for the collection thereof," passed by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Alameda, on the 30th day of January, 1893, and all amendments thereof and thereto, and all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed.
Section 20. This Ordinance shall take effect on the 7th day of February, 1896.
Passed January 20th, 1896, by the following called vote, viz:
Ayes—Supervisors Church, Talcott, Pelouze, Johnston, Chairman Bailey. (Seal)
HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Endorsed: Filed, January 20, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.

ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH, MAINTAIN, REGULATE AND GOVERN PUBLIC POUNDS IN THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:
Section 1. Each road district as now established in said county of Alameda shall constitute a Pound District, and there shall be a Poundkeeper for each Pound District, to be appointed by the Board of Supervisors upon petition of at least fifteen qualified electors of the district. Each Pound District shall be known by the name of the road district with which it coincides; thus, the Pound District that coincides with Altamont road district shall be known as Altamont Pound District.
Section 2. Each Poundkeeper, before entering upon the discharge of his duties, shall make and execute a good and sufficient bond, with two or more sureties, in the sum of $250, payable to the said county of Alameda and conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such Poundkeeper.
Section 3. Each Poundkeeper must, at his own charge and expense, erect and maintain a suitable inclosure for the keeping of such animals as may be impounded.
Section 4. It is hereby declared unlawful for any ox, bull, cow, horse, colt, jack, mule, calf, sheep or hog to run at large in said county of Alameda, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns, in said county of Alameda, or to be pastured, or herded, or staked, or tied, for the purpose of grazing, on any highway, public road, public street or public common in said county of Alameda, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns in said county of Alameda; and it shall be unlawful for any animals or stock of any kind to be tied, staked, pastured or to run at large upon any private property in said county of Alameda, outside of incorporated cities and towns, unless by consent of the owner or occupant of such property.
Section 5. The Poundmaster shall take up and impound any of the animals enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance found running at large, staked, tied or being pastured or herded on any highway, public road, public street or public common in said county of Alameda, or found running at large, staked, tied or being herded or pastured upon any private property in said county of Alameda, contrary to the provisions of section 4 of this ordinance.
Section 6. The Poundkeeper shall, within twenty-four hours after the time any animal enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance, is impounded, as provided by section 5 of this ordinance, cause to be delivered to the owner or keeper of such animal, if known to him, or cause to be left at the usual place of abode of such owner or keeper, a notice in writing, describing the marks, brands and color of the animal impounded, stating the amount of fees and charges incurred and the time of impounding.
Section 7. When the owner or keeper of any animal impounded is not known by the Poundkeeper, the said Poundkeeper shall, within twenty-four hours after the time the said animal is taken up and impounded, post notices in writing, describing the marks, brands and color of the animal impounded, and stating the amount of fees and charges incurred and the time of impounding. Said notices shall be posted by the Poundkeeper in three of the most public places in his Pound District.
Section 8. If the owner, or agent of the owner, of any animal impounded under the provisions of this ordinance, shall pay the penalty, charges and fines hereinafter provided for, the animal impounded shall forthwith be discharged from the Pound of the district in which the same is impounded.
Section 9. If the owner, or agent of the owner, of any animal impounded under the provisions of this ordinance, shall refuse or neglect for the period of three days after the said animal is impounded, to pay the penalties, charges and fines herein provided for, the Poundkeeper shall sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder. Such sale can only be made upon at least five days' notice posted in three of the most public places in the Pound District in which said animal is impounded, which said notice shall contain a full description of said animal, and shall set forth that the same will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at a time and place to be specified in said notice, and shall also contain a descriptions of the marks, brand and color of the animal to be sold, together with a statement of the amount of penalties and charges due under the provisions of this ordinance and of the time of impounding. If said animal is not reclaimed by the owner, or agent of the owner, before the expiration of the time specified in said notice, the Poundkeeper shall proceed to sell the said animal at the time and place and in the manner specified in said notice.
Section 10. After the payment of the penalties and charges and fines, hereinafter in this ordinance provided, the overplus of such sale, if any, shall be paid to the owner of said animal so impounded, under the provisions of this ordinance, upon request. If the said owner, shall apply for the same within one month from the time of said sale, otherwise said overplus shall be placed in the County Treasury of said county of Alameda, there to await the order of the owner, and shall be paid to said owner by the Treasurer, if he shall apply for the same within twelve months from the day of sale, on his making satisfactory proof that he is entitled to the same, and if no claimant for said overplus appear within the time above specified the same shall be placed in the road fund of the road district wherein said Pound is situated.
Section 11. It shall not be lawful for any person to rescue any animal enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance from the possession of any person who is impounding the same under the provisions of this ordinance, and it shall not be lawful for any person to make any Pound breach, or in any way directly or indirectly convey or deliver any animal out of any Pound without lawful authority, and no person shall wilfully and knowingly resist, delay or obstruct any Poundkeeper in the performance of his duties under his ordinance.
Section 12. The Poundkeeper, or any person impounding any animal under the provisions of this ordinance may retake the same within six days after the same is first impounded in the event that the same is directly or indirectly conveyed or delivered out of the Pound without lawful authority, and may again impound and detain the same and proceed as hereinbefore provided.
Section 13. The Poundkeeper shall daily cause all animals impounded to be provided with food and drink suitable for such animals, and upon neglect so to do, shall be liable to the owner thereof for all damages arising from such neglect.
Section 14. The Poundkeeper shall be entitled to charge and collect of and from the owner of animals impounded under this ordinance the following fee for impounding and keeping the same:
1: For each horse, jack, jennet mule, cow, bull and heifer, $1 for the first day, and 50 cents per day for every day after the first day such animal remains in the P

ARTHUR M'EWEN'S LETTER.

How a Powerful Ring of Rich Men Is Quietly at Work Hampering and Defeating All Reforms.

LOTS OF INSTANCES OF DOINGS OF THE CABAL.

A Bad Blow Given to the People by the Knocking-Out of the Election Law.

BLACKMAILERS KEPT BUSY.

Henry Norman of Venezuela Notoriety Is Well Known in This Section.

MORE ABOUT DR. BROWN.

Efforts to Whitewash Him, but Anyhow He Will Have to Leave Town.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 24.—The action of the Supreme Court in declaring unconstitutional the new election commission law, which was drawn in the interest of reform by the Citizens' Defense Association, rejoices the professional politicians and others besides who prefer roguery to fairness in elections. It is the judgment of lawyers that the Supreme Court couldn't have decided otherwise, so defective is the wording of the law, and it is disclosed that the fatal phraseology was inserted after the Defense Association had delivered the bill to an accommodating Legislature. The knowledge that the court is unanimous and had obviously good ground for its judgment goes a long way toward reconciling the public to a restoration of the old partisan supervision of elections. The fact that the law was designed for a good purpose, was much needed and in accordance with common sense made nearly everybody doubtful about its fate at the hands of our highest court. That tribunal has established a reputation for sacrificing the public interest to its own glory, which it is wont to serve by becoming extremely technical in the interpretation of good laws and very literal in the interpretation in the case of bad ones.

It is the simple truth that the people of California have come to feel the Supreme Court. They look upon it, not as the last and best defense of their rights, but as the last and worst of the hurdles to be jumped in the race with wealth and privilege. I do not mean that the judges are suspected of being corrupt. Time was, however, when that suspicion was freely held and expressed. But now nearly all the members have the public's confidence so far as their integrity is concerned. They are distrusted as lawyers more anxious to distinguish themselves as "profound jurists" than as public servants. The temptation to astonish the lay mind by discerning reasons for doing injurious things is very strong to a lawyer ambitious to be known as a profound jurist. And in order to prove that it is beyond the influence of "public clamor," the court rises above mere regard for public interests. That motive has a good deal to do with decisions which have surprised and incensed the public. And, I presume, it is also behind much of the work of our United States courts here. Whenever a suit is entered in the latter to which a wealthy corporation is a party, few care to follow its course in the newspapers, for the popular assumption is that the outcome is foreordained. But in the matter of the election commission law, the Supreme Court is unusually fortunate, since the blame for its fatal weakness lies with the Legislature.

The new primary law will probably go next. It is a good law. By providing that primaries shall be held under conditions and penalties that would reduce the opportunities for cheating, it threatens the business of the bosses. That being so, its fate is all but settled. Already a Los Angeles judge has decided that it is unconstitutional, and the chances are that he is right. The Legislature is generally under influences which take care that laws with such objects shall be furnished with a crack to cut their own throats.

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We are not going to get fair primaries, honest elections and deliverance from the bosses without a harder struggle than has been made. A few weeks ago, in this correspondence, in connection with the Brown church scandal, I spoke of the guild of rich men who have a grip on the press and courts and bar. The bosses represent this guild here. The active wealth of San Francisco is hostile to good government. Because a rich man anxious for gain is necessarily a scoundrel and a menace to his neighbors, he is patriotic in the abstract, but his personal interest first. As a Legislature has power to do what it pleases, it follows that he does not want such men as will oppose the bosses, hence the Supervisors and Boards of Trustees form a bench of pliant tools, and hence effective opposition to constitutional amendment of government by corporation. The corporations are banded together like so many adventurers in a savage land. The police at blackmailing are always hovering near them ready to shoot, and the instinct of self-defense prompts them to act as a unit. They are very powerful, and since the policy of systematic corruption has given them control of the machinery of government, they prefer things as they are to experiments which might be dangerous. Besides, men ambitious of office, even the highest, are more than willing to postpone reform until they have got what they want. The bosses are the instruments of this self-protecting wealth and this unscrupulous ambition, and in fighting against change the bosses are fighting for life. So it comes that those who are classed as our very best citizens, the men who own the most property, who speak with the greatest authority, who dominate us so fully, as well as financially, are the promoters and upholders of a state of things politically that is profoundly criminal. Of course, this San Francisco is not peculiar. As it is here, so it is in every large city in the Union. And the most hopeless feature about it is that the criminal rich feel no sense of criminality. Their view of themselves, ordinarily, is that they are victims of the predatory politicians, for whose existence they are chiefly responsible.

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Henry Norman, the correspondent of the London Chronicle, who has been figuring as an international peacemaker, taking the American side in the Venezuela matter, will hardly stave off war unless he has changed very much since he illuminated San Francisco with his presence eight years ago. He was not then a gentleman of the sort calculated to impress statesmen and influence the policies of the great powers. A very well-dressed, light-stepping young man he was, with a pointed beard and his mustache carefully curled in the Mephistophelian fashion. What interested me in him was the information given by several of his former college mates, that shortly after graduating from Harvard he became a Unitarian minister and preached very good sermons indeed. I tried to detect clerical traces in him, but there were none. His appetite for good dinners was excellent. He enjoyed the gayeties of the fast newspaper set, and altogether was one of the boys though always in his bright hard eye there was a look which betokened that Mr. Norman never for an instant forgot in the pleasures of the moment the solider interests of Mr. Norman. The experienced San Francisco newspaper man does not readily open his arms to brilliant young gentlemen from London and other far distant points on the earth's surface—young gentlemen who tell of their feats in journalism, apparel themselves sumptuously, understand cookery and are familiar with the different shades of excellence in wines.

Very few journalists anywhere can come honestly by such knowledge and tastes.

Lots of queer characters drift to San Francisco now as in earlier days. It is still a jumping off place. And when an Englishman of education with a good wardrobe and costly habits in food and drink turns up it is commonly safe to classify him as a black sheep, to which the winds of respectability have been unkind at home. If he is a journalist you are warranted in suspecting a mercenary marriage with an actress, a little forgery, perhaps, or crooked card-playing, or some other peculiarity that has deprived him of social position and driven him into a calling for which quick wits rather than regular training fit a man. The type is painfully familiar here: the bright, good-humored, self-indulgent fellow, full of bonhomie, but shrewd and cynical and shallow—half Bohemian, half confidence man. Of course I don't say that the Rev. Mr. Norman was that sort of a person, but he looked it. He did nothing dishonest while here and proved that he was a journalist by his writing, but he did something that embarrassed young Mr. Hearst of the Examiner exceedingly.

The two had dined together repeatedly. The managing editor became fearful that Norman was a candidate for his place, and at the first opportunity drove his jealous sword into him. An amusing story appeared recounting how the Englishman while out sailing on the bay with a lady of much local renown and no reputation, had, under the double stimulus of champagne and gallantry, dived into the deep when by way of challenge she threw her handkerchief overboard. As Mr. Norman had sunk the Rev. and was knocking about as a newspaper correspondent and man of the world, there was nothing discreditable in this little adventure. It was unfair to put it in print and still more unfair to insinuate that he was not what he asserted himself to be professionally. Mr. Hearst acted promptly. He discharged his managing editor, wrote a note of regret to Mr. Norman, issued orders for an editorial apology and left town. The apology in the Examiner and Mr. Hearst's feeling note in the Chronicle were printed simultaneously, the latter in large, vengeful and triumphant type. That wasn't nice of Mr. Norman. He could hardly pretend to standing as a gentleman here and afterwards got the cold shoulder. So he went to Japan, about which he wrote a book, for he is an industrious man, and later married the young lady who tramped through the Carpathian mountains in breeches and published a volume in celebration of her feat. Mr. Norman loves change and excitement and is an excellent newspaper correspondent, but he is not a heavyweight intellectually or otherwise, and I doubt very much if it will be safe for the United States government to trust very much to his influence with Lord Salisbury in changing that nobleman's views as to the Venezuelan boundary. George Alfred Townsend, I should say carries a good many more guns in this country (and certainly Gath is not a journalistic battleship) than the adventurous and volatile Norman does in England.

Church people who can measure consequences are appalled at the mess that is being made of the case of the Rev. Dr Brown. The public convicted him weeks ago on the evidence printed, yet the brethren, clerical and lay, who have been selected to try him, hold back, shuffle, offer prayers for him, and in all ways display reluctance to bring his reverence to book. Indeed, they seem disposed to let Dr. Brown superintend the arrangements for his own trial, both as to time and manner. Meantime Miss Mattie Overman, the co-respondent, remains in the parsonage, under charge of the accused clergyman, and he gaunts her from intercourse with reporters and others, as if he owned her. The impudence of the thing does not appear to have impressed itself upon the brethren, but the worldly marvel and even admire. The girl is necessarily the chief witness against him, and her own letters are in proof of what were the relations between the two. That he should keep the girl in his house and stand guard over her without disguise is audacious enough, but that it should be given out, officially and calmly, that in addition to preparing his own statement, he is assisting her in the composition of hers, which is to explain away the letters, surpasses in cheek anything that desperation has suggested to the doctor since he was found out. It is to the credit of a large proportion of the members of the First Congregational Church that they are in rebellion. They stay away from service and object to the sympathy for Dr. Brown, the extraordinary willingness to accommodate him, exhibited by the men who are to be his judges. It will not surprise should there be an effort at white-washing, but that will do the man no good. Whatever the outcome of the ecclesiastical trial is, Dr Brown will have to leave his church and San Francisco. The feeling against him extends to other churches than his own, for sensible men and women of the congregations understand what a blow this scandal has been to religion. They also understand that the excessive tenderness shown Brown by his deacons and brother preachers has done a world of harm that might have been prevented. Women are especially disgusted with this erring minister, for in addition to what has been printed much private history of his affairs is floating about and it is apparent that Dr. Brown, besides being extremely sinful, had no taste whatever. The crowd of females with whom he got himself entangled prove to have been a very low and very hard crowd indeed.

One of the clergymen who is to be of the court, and who has in interviews evinced an inclination to acquit Brown in advance, is himself on the edge of a precipice. I have seen a letter, properly signed, accusing him of having scared and horrified one of the sisters of his church by his conduct. She called on him in his study for advice, and, at parting, her pastor seized both her hands and kissed her. She made her escape. This story is in possession of the newspapers, but as the lady declines to see reporters and wants no publicity it has not been used. Unless she should show a readiness to come out and confirm what she has told her friends, the clergyman will be allowed to take his seat in the church tribunal and do his friend Dr. Brown good service. He is an old preacher, too, and highly respected. It would take very straight proof to make his congregation believe that he is a sinner. The public of course is incapable just now of being astonished or shocked by anything in the way of such revelations. As I heard it remarked the other day, by a scoffer, "It is as much as any man's character is worth to be a preacher in San Francisco at present."

ARTHUR McEWEN.

AS OTHERS SEE US

The good news comes from Oakland that Mayor Davie has not been read out of the Populist party. Should he be fired there would not be much to quarrel over, and that would disrupt the organization quicker than anything else. —Alameda Argus.

The Baron Baroteau of Oakland asks for a divorce from the Baroness because she drinks too much liquor, dances the skirt dance and turns the hose on his baronial person. The first counts in the indictment may be considered prerogatives of royalty, but the hose act would appear to be going a little too far, even in the wide latitude allowed for the eccentricity of rank and blue blood. If the Baron can prove the latter charge, he ought to have his divorce.—Stockton Independent.

We wish our worthy Health Officer, Dr. John T. McLean, God speed and good luck on his trip to Washington; and may he return to us with victory inscribed upon his banner. The doctor is certainly thoroughly posted regarding the harbor and tidal canal matters, and that he will be an able and earnest advocate in behalf of the people of Alameda and Oakland goes without saying.—Alameda Encinal.

For cut flowers, floral pieces, seeds, bulbs (this is planting time), decorations for store openings and house parties, call on Charles Wiedersheim, 516 Thirteenth street. Telephone 557.

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MUSIC, JEST AND SONG.

Two Merry Shows to Be Given in This City Next Week.

The Minstrels at the Macdonough; "Uncle Tom" at the Oakland.

Next Monday and Tuesday evenings Schillings' Minstrels will give two performances at the Macdonough at popular prices.

Lew Spencer and Charley Schilling will take care of the outside ends. Mr. Spencer will sing a very funny song entitled "I Wish I Were a Bird," and Mr. Schilling will sing "I Wonder If They Are." "Gaily The Troubadour," introducing Messrs Spencer, Carroll and Neary, is a fitting and laughing finale to the first part.

The second part is opened in fine style by Kinzo, the wonderful Japanese equilibrist, in a series of surprising feats in juggling followed by Frank Hammond, the droll comedian, in a funny monologue act, "The India Rubber Twins." Carroll and Neary, the funny knockabout song and dance men. Charley Schilling, everybody's favorite, introducing his musical act, "The Trocadero Quartette." In an original sketch entitled "The Telephone Agent."

The programme will close with the wonderful European acrobats, Brothers La Rose, who will introduce their great passing somersault, a feat accomplished by no other acrobatic team in the world.

COMING EVENTS.

It is promised that the presentation of "In Old Kentucky," which is announced for February 3d, 4th and 5th, will eclipse even its immense success last season. A popular matinee will be given on Wednesday.

Louis James follows the same week, February 6th, 7th and 8th, presenting his entire repertoire. He will also play a matinee Saturday.

For Monday, February 10th, the reappearance of the Frawley Company is announced in a special production of the great play "Men and Women." The occasion is a testimonial benefit tendered to Manager Charles E. Cook. The high reputation of the players and the popularity of the beneficiary will attract a crowded house. Tickets are now on sale at the box office.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Managers Collins and Waldron have in store for next week a mammoth revival of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," without question the most lasting and popular play of the American stage. A splendid production is promised. The cast will include Jennie Calef as "Chloe" and "Topsy," Annie Mifflin, Mamie Axtell, Anna Daly, Mabel Carlton, Andy Waldron as "Marks," Norval McGregor as "George Harris," George Hermance as "Uncle Tom," Frank Cleaves as "Simon Legree" and Phineas Fletcher with eight other performers to fill the cast. A feature will be the celebrated Hicks-Sawyer Quartette, and also the Sunset Team in buck and wing dancing. The scenic effects will be fully equal to the splendid cast.

THE CALIFORNIA.

The splendid success of "In Old Kentuck" last season is being repeated at the California. Packed houses have been the rule and the coming week shows signs of no abatement in the attendance.

THE COLUMBIA.

The first productions of De Mille and Belasco's masterpiece "Men and Women" will mark the week commencing Monday night at the Columbia Theater. The Frawley Company has been especially strengthened for the occasion. Twenty-six people are in the cast. The play deals with the inner workings of a bank. The trials of a trusted cashier, a threatened panic and a series of intensely dramatic incidents form feature of the play. It will be a banner week for the company.

THE ORPHEUM.

The programme at the Orpheum is unusually bright and the star attraction is Rachael Walker, the creole nightingale, who is the musical sensation of the week. The De Vans and De Witts are female teams whose acts are very novel. The bill throughout is thoroughly entertaining.

MOROSCO'S.

"The Editor," a successful comedy-drama by Vincent and Aldrich, will be the card next week at Morosco's. It deals with a love story, involving a plot of keen interest. Life in an Arizona newspaper office is a feature of the play.

THE TIVOLI.

"Ixion" loses nothing in its popularity. The run of this beautiful opera has been phenomenal and Tivoli audiences test the capacity of the house nightly.

THE ALCAZAR.

"A Canting Scoundrel" is the sensational title of a play the Grovers will present next week. The reputation of the Grovers insures an entertaining production.

WIDEN THE ROAD.

A San Leandro Pioneer on the Recent Electric Road Trouble.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Allow one who, after regularly paying his half a dollar ferry fare from San Francisco to San Antonio, used to stick on the bar occasionally for hours on board of Larue's ferry boat Contra Costa, and then stick in the mud along the San Leandro road on board the coaches of "Charlie" McLaughlin, "Dunk" Cameron and "Jim" Linfoot (fare, four bits), and arrive weary and bedraggled at his home in the old county seat several hours after leaving the other side of the bay, to say a word in the Tribune about the present situation. Keeping to the front with the discoveries, inventions and progress of the times five enterprising gentlemen of this county, four of them Native Sons, to the manner born, incorporated and gave us a "poor man's palace car" to ride in, and in connection with the magnificent ferry service, made the regular trip to San Francisco a "pleasure trip" and our town a suburb of the great metropolis.

These young men were among the first to see electricity to be the coming driving power. They saw, too, that to build a trolley railway from Oakland to Haywards would be a good investment for themselves, and a great benefit to the locality. This much to prepare the way to say a word or two as to the trouble at San Leandro last Wednesday. It all happened because the street is not wide enough, now that a double track is wanted. In San Leandro, perhaps, the remedy lies in using two streets for the track, instead of one. But the whole distance from Fruitvale to the San Lorenzo junction, at least, is no longer a "county road," but in fact a street, should be widened to one hundred feet or provision made for doing so.

The trolley car has come to stay. It is a horseless vehicle (wagon) and has as much right upon the highways and streets as any other vehicle. This right is now practically conceded everywhere. It cannot, to be sure, observe the rule of the road to keep to the right. It must follow its track, but any inconvenience from this can be avoided by putting the tracks in the middle of the street and the common wagon roads on each side of the tracks. One hundred feet would give ample room for this and for pedestrian sidewalks and ways for the bicycle, as that horseless vehicle has come to stay too. Here we are at the very door of the commercial metropolis of the coast, and one of the principal of the world, and the San Leandro road is the greatest highway leading to it. Recognizing these facts, the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway people, who have most certainly done a great work for the locality, should be met in a dispassionate spirit of fairness by the property owners along the line and other interested parties, and their interests, which are clearly mutual, be amicably adjusted. With a one hundred foot street, as here suggested, the value of the property along it would be enhanced greatly immediately, and eventually become very valuable. The widening would of course be done by due process of law, as in the case of widening or altering any other road or street. PIONEER.

San Leandro, Jan. 24, 1896.

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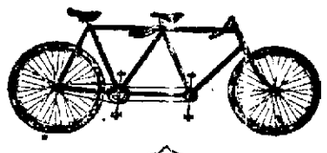
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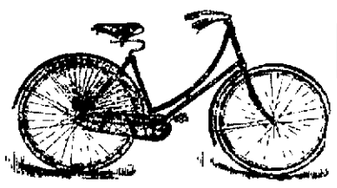
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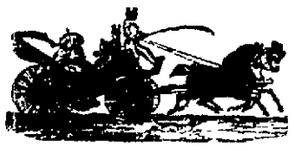
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HITTING HIM HARD.

English Diplomats are Trying to Isolate the Kaiser.

ALLIANCES BEING FORMED.

Genuine Grief Is Displayed Over Prince Henry's Death.

ALL LONDON IN MOURNING.

Bulletins Displayed About the Health of the Queen.

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LONDON, Jan 25.—It is difficult to imagine a more complicated and uncertain political situation than the one which is now being studied by the statesmen of Europe. Even if the reported alliance between Russia and Turkey is the myth it is said to be, north and south, east and west, everywhere the state of uncertainty as to the future prevails, and the general public, it would seem, must for some time to come be content with being allowed to await developments.

Rumors of alliances and counter-alliances fill the air and crowd the newspapers, but until the shuffling of the cards has been completed and the hands are arranged for the game of bluff and grab believed to be arranged between the powers, it will be difficult to be definitely decided who are partners and who are their opponents.

But one thing seems to gleam out clearly from the fog of diplomacy, and that is that a rearrangement of the European enjanglements is being engineered, if it is not in progress, or even an accomplished fact, and there are persons here who intimate that when the deal is completed Germany, and not Great Britain, will be the "isolated" power of Europe.

This is said to be borne out by the "concessions" Great Britain has made to France and may have made to Russia.

But, of course, this is simply one way of looking at it, and it is by no means certain that it is the right way.

PRINCE HENRY'S DEATH.

The social world is also laboring under a cloud almost as dark as the one overshadowing the world of politics.

This is caused by the sudden death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, son-in-law of Queen Victoria, while on his way to the island of Maderia, on board the British cruiser Blonden, from Cape Coast Castle, West Africa, in an effort to recover from an attack of African fever.

The news caused a great shock to everybody in court circles, and to society in general, and has resulted in a complete up-heaval of social fixtures. No drawing rooms or social entertainments of any kind will be held while court is in mourning, which will be for at least six weeks.

The death of Prince Henry, it is pointed out, has shown him to be an extremely popular young man among those who knew him, and even those who did not have that pleasure have nothing but kind words for the soldier who died for Great Britain, even if his death was from sickness, instead of on the field of battle, as he would undoubtedly have preferred.

His sad end, likened to that of the Prince Imperial of France, has recalled the old story that Princess Beatrice might have been wedded to the son of ex-Empress Eugenie had he not met his death while fighting with the British against the Zulus, and so there is much romantic sympathy expressed for the widowed princess who seems to have twice had her heart wrung with sorrow as a result of British wars in Africa.

The telegrams received from Osborne since the news of the death of Prince Henry was made known there show that both the Queen and Princess Beatrice were terribly overwhelmed by the evil tidings from Sierra Leone.

The Princess was prostrated throughout Wednesday, and did not dine with the royal family, and remained in her bedroom until 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

When she reappeared, it was noticed that the Princess bore deep traces of a night spent in weeping for the dead, and she seemed almost heart-broken when her children were taken to greet her.

Princess Beatrice spent the afternoon with the Queen, who did everything possible to console her, although her Majesty suffered greatly herself.

Bulletins, which from time to time were posted outside the gates of Osborne house, stated that the Queen and her daughter were intensely affected, but that her Majesty's health was not menaced.

These announcements were made necessary by the alarming reports circulated on the Stock Exchange.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The police authorities of Scotland Yard are congratulating themselves on the remarkable absence of crime which has pervailed in the metropolis during the past year. The annual police report which will shortly be issued shows that London, in its freedom from the effects of law-breakers, has made a record which may well be envied by the governments of all large cities.

Mr. Bartlett, who accompanied Smith M. Weed to London in the interests of the Nicaraguan Canal Company, sails for New York this week. He has been busily engaged in conducting financial negotiations connected with the canal, the nature of which still remains a secret. Mr. Bartlett, talking the matter over with a representative of the Associated Press, said:

"The recent war scare has done much to hinder my work. But the controversy between England and the United States has not interfered with my mission so seriously as the uproar caused by the German Emperor's action regarding the South African complications. Although these conditions have delayed negotiations, you may say that matters are progressing favorably."

THE THEATERS.

Business at the leading theaters has been good throughout the week, although the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, followed by the court going into mourning, has affected the attendance in the most fashionable theaters, but crowded houses are still the order of the day at the Haymarket, where the interest in "Trilby" has not in the least abated, at the Lyric 'The Sign of the Cross' is nightly turning away money, and at the St James, where George Alexander has, if not a wholly artistic, at least a monetary success.

The other theaters, the Criterion, Garrick and Savoy, are doing more than the average business with "The Squire of Dames," "The Professor's Love Story" and the "Mikado" respectively.

Charles Wyndham has again been commanded to appear before the Queen, and would have produced his successful "The Squire of Dames" at Osborne Monday evening, January 27th, had it not been for the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg. Mr. Wyndham has always been a favorite with royalty.

The new play by J. M. Barrie, of which E. S. Willard had the refusal, proves on its completion to be much better adapted for exploiting an actress than an actor. In view of this fact, Mr. Willard has waived his rights to the piece, and overtures were made to Marion Terry to star in the play, but an arrangement which was precluded by her prior engagement with Forbes Robertson. It is now hinted that it will be offered to Mr. and Mrs Fred Terry upon the expiration of their contract with John Hare in America.

The first performance of Fergus Hume's new play "The Fool of the Family" will be given tonight at the Duke of York's Theater. Mr. Cartwright has in the new piece a strong comedy part, and H B. Irving and Gertrude Kingston, in their respective characters, will be seen to great advantage.

The recent stirring political events have been a godsend to managers exploiting military dramas. All the houses presenting such plays have been doing an extremely large business. Lieutenant Stewart Gordon, R. N., has collaborated with Leonard Outram in the preparation of "True Blue," a nautical drama, which will be produced at the Olympia under the management of Sir Augustus Harris whenever "Cheer, Boys, Cheer" shows signs of waning popularity. The new play is replete with stirring events, and will illustrate in a forcible manner what actual life is on board a man-of-war.

Mrs. Catherine Fisk, the American contralto, has won golden opinions by her rendition of "Delilah" at Glasgow.

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DEEPEN THE CHANNEL.

The Board of Trade Is Anxious About Oakland's Harbor.

Forcible Resolutions Adopted in Favor of the Estuary.

The Board of Trade is proving itself to be awake to the necessities of the community. It has determined to do everything possible to improve the estuary, and at a special meeting held yesterday afternoon, resolutions were passed asking the Government to proceed with this all-important work.

The agitation which has been thus well started will be maintained, and as Senator Perkins and Congressman Hilborn are both residents of Oakland, they thoroughly comprehend the situation and will keep their pledges to push the matter in every way possible.

The resolutions adopted yesterday will have much weight, coming as they do, from a representative body of citizens. They are in full as follows:

"Whereas: The Government of the United States has expended large sums of money on the improvement of the Oakland Harbor, and is at present deepening the channel to twenty feet at low water, between the wharves of this city and the deep water of the Bay of San Francisco, by dredging of the hard pan, which in many places is equal to the hardness of sandstone, and cannot be removed by tidal currents or any process but by dredging.

"Whereas: We have been informed, by reliable authority that to complete the dredging between our wharves and the deep water of the bay will cost about $250,000.00, and

"Whereas: the deepening of this channel will allow vessels loaded to come to our wharves without first unloading a part of their cargoes in San Francisco, and

"Whereas: The one article of coal alone costs every householder and consumer at least 50 cents per ton extra in consequence of not having deep water as aforesaid in said channel, and

"Whereas: A Custom House has been opened in this city by the Government, where importations from foreign countries are receiving attention at the hands of our collector, and

"Whereas: The Government engineers have recommended in their last report to the Secretary of War that this channel aforesaid be deepened and extended westerly to the Bay of San Francisco:

"Resolved: That this board endorses and approves of the recommendation of Col. Mendell of the Government engineers to continue this year the deepening of the channel from our wharves to the Bay of San Francisco;

"Resolved: That we respectfully call the attention of the city government to the above facts and request our Representatives in Congress to vigorously urge an appropriation to be made for the purpose of deepening said channel during the present year.

STUCK ON THE BAR.

Wreck of the St. Paul, the Magnificent Atlantic Steamer.

NO LIVES ARE IN DANGER.

There Are Chances, Though, of Disaster to the Big Boat.

EFFORTS TO FLOAT HER.

She Ploughed Into the Sand 'Ere the Engines Stopped.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANDY HOOK, Jan. 25.—The American liner St Paul, from Southampton for New York, struck the outer bar of Holrighton, Long Branch, N. J., during a dense fog between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning.

She was shortly afterwards discovered by a patrol from Long Branch Life-Saving Service and preparations made to open communication with her.

The apparatus was dragged to its place and a shot fired across the vessel, and a hawser placed on board.

The people on board desired to remain on the vessel, as there was no danger.

Messages were sent ashore notifying the agents of the Maritime Exchange and wrecking companies of the accident.

Crews from Sea Bright, Monmouth Beach and Long Branch Life-Saving Stations are all in attendance on the steamer.

The wind is light, southwest, with a long ground swell.

When the surf goes down they will go to her in surfboats

Among the passengers on the St. Paul are Ex-Congressman W. Bourke Cochran, Prince Serge Wolkonsky, Dixon C. Walker, Dr. S. A. Knopf Harvey, W. Brown, H. G. Fellows, Miss Minnie Sachs, Louis R. Worth and W. W. Whitehouse.

The St. Paul has on board $1,300,000 specie.

The vessel struck on a sand bar a quarter of a mile from Iron Pier.

Her nose ran about 100 feet into the sand before the engines could be stopped.

She is pointing southwest.

The wind is blowing northwest, but only eight miles an hour.

The St. Paul sailed from Southampton January 18th in charge of Captain Jameson.

When the steamer ran ashore it is said there was only four feet of water over bar.

The old seamen along the shore say the vessel may not be floated a week or more.

The wrecking tug Hustler passed out at 9:30 A. M. to render assistance to the St Paul.

At 11 A. M. no passengers had been removed from the steamer.

Two tugs are beside the steamer and another is on the way from New York.

These three will be used in removing the passengers.

The stern line is out to the hold.

The vessel is in the position in which she struck.

The vessel appears to be leaking, dirty water is coming from the ship's pumps.

HARD TO FLOAT.

From the fact that the St. Paul ran aground at high water, it is thought she will not be easily floated.

Next high water will be a little before 2 o'clock and an effort will be made to pull her off.

Meantime everything that can be removed will be taken from the vessel in order to lighten her.

Nine tugs are now with the vessel.

Some steerage passengers became greatly alarmed. When they went on deck, however, and saw the shore they became quiet.

The St. Paul was launched from Cramp's yard, Philadelphia, April 10, 1895.

She is one of the most magnificently appointed vessels in the transatlantic service.

If she is not ready to sail next Wednesday the company will substitute the St. Louis.

REMOVING THE PASSENGERS.

Life saving crews have commenced transferring the St. Paul's passengers to another steamer.

The work of taking off the first and second cabin passengers began at 1 45 o'clock.

In all, 102 men, 12 women, 3 boys, 2 girls and 5 babies were taken from the vessel, making a total of 154 persons.

The steerage passengers are still on the boat.

Some of the baggage is now being removed.

The water ballast tanks have been pumped out, and an effort to pull the vessel off will be made within an hour.

PASSENGERS TRANSFERRED.

LONG BRANCH, Jan. 25.—By 4 P. M. all the steerage passengers had been transferred from the St. Paul to the I J. Merritt, which started for New York.

No effort to release the St. Paul has yet been made.

Sandbagged.

Robert Walker of 341 Campbell street was sandbagged at the corner of Seventh and Willow streets Thursday night. He believes that his assailants were members of the Fish gang who have frequently threatened to do him up.

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BLEW UP THE DEPOT.

Burglars Apply an Overcharge of Powder to a Safe at Monterey.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MONTEREY, Cal., Jan. 25.—Early this morning burglars blew open the safe of the Southern Pacific agent here, knocking off the dial of the safe and filling the hole with dynamite.

The burglars took the contents of the safe, amounting to only $80.

The inner door of the safe was supposed to be burglar proof.

The burglars are supposed to be strangers and professionals.

The police now think that the robbery in which the thieves made such a small haul was the work of amateurs, as enough powder was used to blow up the entire building.

The office was totally wrecked, partitions and doors smashed and the door of the safe blown through the office door and across the railroad track, making a hole in a fisherman's boat 100 feet distant from the depot.

EXCURSIONISTS WRECKED.

One of Raymond & Whitcomb's Trains Comes to Grief.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Word was received here this morning that the Raymond and Whitcomb special California excursion train which left here at 10:30 yesterday was wrecked last night at Crooked Run, Virginia, on the Norfolk & Western R. R.

No passengers were injured, but the head porter of one of the sleeping cars was instantly killed.

The train consisted of five palace cars.

Representatives of Raymond & Whitcomb on the special train advise them that the accident was caused by a sliding rock loosened by the storm.

The train was bound for Mexico and California.

A DEADLOCK.

Hunter and Blackburn Have Tied Up Kentucky Legislature.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 25.—It now appears there will be no election of a Senator this session.

The supporters of Hunter say no other Republican can win.

The friends of Senator Blackburn swear he is the only Democrat who will be considered.

Two Populists split, one voting with the Republicans and one with the Democrats.

Governor Bradley announces he is for Hunter and says he thinks Hunter can win.

Withstood the Storm.

The streets and sewers withstood the storm with little or no damage. The catch basins and gutters have been opened since the last storm and no reports of damage have reached the superintendent of streets today.

SAYS HE'S ALL RIGHT.

Captain John Hackett Talks on the Garbage Matter.

The Board of Public Works Is Ready to Settle All Details.

The Board of Public Works were to meet this morning to act on the Council resolution to enter into a contract with Captain John Hackett to remove the garbage but after consultation the matter was deferred until 4 o'clock this afternoon.

If the contract is awarded to Captain Hackett the change will not be made until about the 15th of February as there are bonds to be filed and other arrangements made which will take considerable time.

The captain does not believe that removing the garbage to sea will be in the least objectionable.

"It is the only way in fact to dispose of it," he said this morning, "but still it is only an assumption that that is the way I intend to do it. I have never said so and there is nothing in my bid which shows it. I do want to keep my tugs at work though. They talk about the New York Garbage. Why they carry out more there in ten days than we will in the whole ten years.

"In regard to prices for removing it from the houses," he continued, "they will be the same as they are now, in fact there may be no change for I may arrange with the scavengers to tow the refuse away for so much and let them continue collecting it. I will do the square thing by them and probably we can make some kind of an arrangement that will be satisfactory to all."

Dr. Archibald's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Dr. Francis A. Archibald was held this afternoon at the family residence, 966 Eighteenth street. The floral pieces were many and beautiful and the casket was a veritable bank of flowers. Dr. Kummer, of whose church Mr. Archibald was a member, preached the service. The remains will be taken to the depot this afternoon and shipped this evening for New York.

Publisher MacMillan Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The death of Alexander MacMillan, of the Publishing House of MacMillan & Co., was today announced by cable from London.

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Hopeful News From the Cape About John Hays Hammond.

HOW AMERICANS ACTED.

They in No Way Attempted to Assault the Boers.

ALL WILL BE AMICABLE.

Parole Granted by Kruger to Nearly All the Offenders.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The State Department today gave out the following statement:

Manian, consular agent at Johannesburg, cables Secretary Olney that the American prisoners are out on parole, except Hammond, whose case differs from that of the others, in that Hammond signed the constitutional invitation to Jameson to come to Johannesburg, in case of extreme peril.

Jameson marched towards Johannesburg, however, before the trouble arose.

When this was discovered the American and other leaders issued proclamations calling on the people to refrain from hostilities.

Instead of inciting rebellion Hammond, in the beginning, raised the Transvaal flag and all in the movement swore allegiance.

Clement and the other Americans took arms from many and sent them home.

Not a shot was fired by the Johannesburg party, there was no disturbance, nor a single act of hostility, arms were peacefully surrendered and every effort made to maintain the republic as against encroachment.

The cases against the American prisoners arrested will be tried in court, though the government has not yet indicated the time of the prosecution.

Manian adds the Transvaal government has acted magnanimously.

In view of the foregoing it is believed here neither Hammond nor any other Americans are in serious peril.

The State Department has cabled to Manian to use the most active and vigorous measures for the relief of Americans, and to that end make the Transvaal government direct representations on behalf of the United States, which acts independently, of course, in its own interests.

TO PROTECT THEMSELVES.

Merchants Will Investigate the Problem of Bad Debts.

The Merchants' Exchange held an important meeting last evening. The question of the non-payment of bills by some of the city and county officials and prominent citizens was discussed. H. D. Cushing, C. W. Hunt and Theo. Gier were appointed a committee to investigate those who are behind in their accounts. The work of the committee will consist chiefly in forming a black list. School Director Webb N. Pearce is endeavoring to make neglect to pay debts contracted for the necessities of life a sufficient reason for the discharge of a school teacher.

The old question of San Francisco drummers selling goods in Oakland was also brought up and a committee appointed to act in conjunction with the license inspector to consult with attorneys concerning action against the commercial men.

Resolutions endorsing the proposal to send a delegate to Washington in the interest of the improvement of California rivers and harbors were passed.

THE ADAMS CASE.

Argument Made on a Motion to Dismiss the Action.

The argument of Attorneys Hynemann and Moore on a motion to dismiss the action brought by Fred S. Adams to annul the marriage with Isabelle Potter last July, was heard today before Judge Frick.

The attorneys based their motion on two propositions. They contended first that the court had no jurisdiction over the defendant and second that the plaintiff had no legal capacity to sue. To those points the counsel applied their argument. Ex-Supreme Court Justice Charles N. Fox appeared in behalf of the plaintiff.

The matter will probably be submitted on briefs.

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NO STATEMENT YET.

Another Continuance Necessary in the Goldberg Case.

A dozen attorneys met in Judge Fricks' court this morning to attempt to reach some settlement of the contest between the executors of the Goldberg estate over the proposed compromise of Dr. Dudley Tait's judgment for $7000.

There was a petition for an order directing the executors to show cause why they should not make the compromise. Attorney Pillsbury, representing Henry Wadsworth, the executor, who objects to the compromise as proposed, argued against the motion and finally as the court was inclined to deny the petition, another continuance until next Saturday was suggested and agreed upon.

Meanwhile further effort will be made to reconcile the points in dispute. It is probable if the executors do not reach a conclusion during the week there will be an order made next Saturday for another partial distribution of the estate. Enough money will be set aside, however, in that event to provide for the claim of Dr. Tait, and the fees of the executors not yet paid.

WIND WROUGHT DAMAGE.

Telephone Service Disabled and Several Boats Run Aground.

The Sunset Telephone Company's cable between Oakland and San Francisco was fouled early this morning by the anchor of Charles Fair's new yacht, "Lucerne" which dragged during the heavy blow. All but one of the cable wires were temporarily disabled.

The telephone service between this city and San Francisco was greatly hampered this morning.

Most of the messages had to be sent round through San Jose. At 11 o'clock manager Fleming reported everything in working order.

During the storm in Oakland Harbor the Arcada drifted over to the Alameda shore and stuck in the mud. The Cleco also ran aground just below on the same side.

HORSE THIEVES AT WORK.

The Hewston Ranch Is Robbed of Two Valuable Animals.

Horse thieves looted the Hewston ranch in the hills back of Mills' seminary last night and two valuable horses were stolen. Sheriff White was notified of the affair and gave orders at once to apprehend the thieves if possible. They were reported as having been seen on the main rode to Niles. Deputy Rose said two men answering the description of the men suspected were seen at that neighborhood early this morning.

HIS BENT THE LAW.

Chief Deputy Sheriff Will White Has a Laudable Ambition.

Chief Deputy Sheriff William B. White has about completed a course of study on the law and will soon be ready to go before the Supreme Court on examination for admission to the bar. The bent of the young man in that direction has been marked ever since he entered upon the onerous duties of his position.

Tapped the Till.

Mrs. Erhanfort, the keeper of a bakery on Broadway, south of Fifth street, has reported to the police that a sneak thief entered her store yesterday afternoon and tapped the till of about $7.50.

A QUEER COMPLICATION.

Menzenmeyer Is Benefited by the Extradition Treaty.

He Can Only Be Tried on the Charge on Which He Is Indicted.

A peculiar complication has arisen in the matter of the extradition of Albert Menzenmeyer. Under the treaty provisions with Great Britain, should papers be sent to Victoria now and Menzenmeyer ordered into the custody of the local officers, he would have to be tried upon the charge upon which he will be indicted, that is assault to murder.

In the event of Perkins' death from the bullet wound he received, Menzenmeyer could not be tried for murder. He would have to be released and given an opportunity to get out of the country before he could be re-arrested.

District Attorney Snook said today he had reliable information that Perkins' condition is serious enough to warrant consideration of the possibility of a murder charge being lodged against Menzenmeyer. Sheriff White is anxious to have the fugitive returned. Still, should Perkins die, there might be a miscarriage of justice, because of the peculiar nature of the conditions. The treaty imposes upon the contracting nations that an extradited person must be tried only upon the charge laid against him when extradited. This would, if Perkins should die, after Menzenmeyer had been returned leave the department in a position of being forced to place him on trial for a crime of a lesser degree than resulted, or he would have to be given the chance to leave the United States before he could be again arested. The officers would be compelled to free him.

LOST AT SEA.

Fate of One of the Escapes From the County Jail.

Edward Duffy, one of the quartet who escaped on May 21st last from the County Jail is supposed to have perished at sea from the schooner Golden Shore under the name of James Conway. The mate fell overboard in a gale. A boat was lowered and Conway or Duffy was drowned, as the small boat was swamped.

Duffy was arrested on a charge of bigamy. He was a sailor and married Miss Brown, daughter of a sailor lodging house keeper in San Francisco. He subsequently wedded a Miss Carrara in Oakland and his first mother-in-law caused his arrest. He was awaiting trial when he made his escape. The police had traced him to British Columbia but there he shipped on the vessel from which he lost his life.

For Better Waterways.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The Supervisors' Finance Committee will recommend the appropriation of $300 to pay the city's proportion of expense of sending a delegation to Washington to urge Congress to improve the rivers and harbors of the State.

MOODY'S MISHAP.

A Well-Known Oaklander Found Unconscious in His Yacht.

HIS INJURIES ARE SERIOUS.

Nothing Definite Known as to the Cause of the Accident.

A RESULT OF THE STORM.

Only a Colored Boy Was With Him on Board the Bonita.

Last night's gale on the bay was responsible for a very serious and probably fatal accident to William C. Moody, one of the most prominent young amateur yachtsmen of this city. He was found this morning in an unconscious condition covered with blood, aboard his schooner yacht Bonita which was pounding upon the side of long wharf east of the restaurant that is midway down the long pier.

The cause of the accident was not known to the railroad men who discovered the plight of the little craft and her owner early this morning. The wind during the early hours was blowing fiercely off the wharf and the yacht was in constant danger of being smashed to bits against the big timbers of the wharf.

The railroad men who found the boat discovered the young man's condition and went to work at once to bring him ashore. This was accomplished with some difficulty for Moody was unconscious and the tossing of the boat rendered it difficult to handle his limp form.

There was no one aboard the Bonita save the injured man and a small colored boy known as Fred. He was badly frightened, however, and was unable to give the rescuers of his captain a lucid description of the way the accident occurred.

All haste was made to have young Moody taken to the Receiving Hospital. A call was sent to the Police station for the patrol wagon to meet the train from the pier upon which Moody was taken to Broadway. Then he was removed to the hospital in the patrol wagon. He was still unconscious when placed upon the operating table where Dr. Johnson made an examination of the injuries which were mainly about the head. There were numerous contusions and lacerations that had caused much bleeding and Dr. Johnson was very much inclined to believe that a fracture at the base of the skull had been sustained. The injured man was covered with blood that flowed freely from his ears and the wounds. The indications were that he was suffering from internal hemorrhage.

The appearance of the blood upon him when he was taken to the hospital would indicate that the accident occurred several hours before the schooner was discovered at the wharf in a helpless condition. The blood had dried and caked upon his face and head and Steward Victory was compelled to use a great deal of warm water to cleanse the injured portion for the doctor's examination.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

The patient is the son of V. D. Moody, formerly president of the First National Bank, and is one of the best known yachtsmen on the bay. As soon as he had been taken to the hospital his father was notified and Dr. Buckland, the family physician, was summoned to assist in caring for the sufferer.

The mystery of the accident puzzles Moody's friends. He was an expert boat sailer, and had years of experience. He had a marked penchant for water and boats. He had for six years past been practically aboard the Bonita. He made his home there and the life suited him. He was therefore well qualified to take command of the pretty vessel.

Last week young Moody went to Port Madera drock. He was returning to Oakland when the accident occurred. It is supposed he was struck by the main boom during some exceptionally hard blow or possibly when he was jibbing. He was unconscious for a few hours before the railroad men got there. After being treated at the hospital he gained consciousness partially, but was unable to talk or hear anything said to him.

The schooner is a well known craft forty feet long and it is considered one of the best on the bay. She was somewhat damaged by the jolt received on the wharf.

The family residence is at 838 Alice street where young Moody will be removed if his condition warrants it.

Young Moody's father learned this afternoon that his son came down from San Quentin last night. There was a heavy swell on and when the boat lost the wind on the mouth of the harbor she was carried over onto the wharf. It is supposed that Moody's head was caught by the boom while he was trying to keep the yacht from pounding upon the dock. The Bonita was towed into the harbor and to Broadway this afternoon.

Christian Endeavor.

The officers of the Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union are making arrangements for the open meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall Monday night. Professor Lloyd, of the Pacific Theological Seminary and late President of the Chicago City C. E. Union will give an address on "City Missionary Work." Dr. Sanborn on "Lookout Committee Work." These will be followed by discussions. Floyd Gray will recite and Emma McCormick is down for a vocal solo. Mr. John Walling, the comedian, is booked for one number.

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CRACKSMEN CAUGHT.

Officer Ely Adds More Laurels to His Well-Woven Wreath.

LOTS OF EVIDENCE FOUND.

The Operators Were Preparing to Make Another Coup.

THREE WERE IN THE PARTY.

The Prisoners Well Connected and Are Green Hands.

Officer Ely is the pride of the force this morning. He made the capture of the year last night and landed in custody two young men who are just starting on a career of crime. They aimed high and intended to be safe blowers but there is not evidence enough against them as yet to charge them with any higher offense than carrying burglar's tools.

"It was about 11 o'clock," said Ely this morning, while modestly narrating the circumstances, "that my attention was attracted to three men at the corner of Twentieth street and Telegraph avenue. Two were standing on the corner by the coal yard and the other was across the street. I saw that they had missed cars going both ways so I walked up to the single one and asked him what he was doing. While I was talking to him the other two walked rapidly down Twentieth street and I followed them. I covered up my gun, drew my stick and at the corner of Broadway and Eighteenth street I came up to them. I asked where they had been and they said calling on a young lady on Hobart street. They gave the names of Fisch and Morgan and said they lived at Ninth and Jackson streets. My suspicions were aroused and I slipped the handcuffs on them. I rubbed my hand along the outside of their coat pockets and found four revolvers so I took them down to the station."

L. M. Parker, who lives at 1943 Broadway, saw the occurrance and rendered the officer assistance in handcuffing and searching the prisoners.

On each man were two large revolvers of 45 calibre. Besides nearly a full safe-cracking outfit. There were three masks made of black silk handkerchiefs, a large steel jump made to wrench off safe combinations, files, glass cutters, skeleton keys, screw drivers, candles and other implements of the profession. The jimmy and drill were missing, probably on the man who escaped.

The men gave the names of Clarence Turner and William Fountain and their ages as 18 and 21 respectively. Outside of this they have nothing to say.

They are probably new men at the business. The work done at Smallman & Cummings, Taylor's Soda Works and on the safe of the National Ice Company, does not show the neatness of an expert and from the size of the holes bored in the safe doors and the modus operandi in each case it is certain that these three jobs were done by the same parties.

Another fact which tends to establish them as novices is the ease with which they were captured. Three old time workmen as heavily armed as they, would never have been taken by one officer without a show of resistance.

The young men are well dressed and come of good San Francisco families. Fountain's parents lived in Oakland some time ago and the Fountain home on New Broadway, near Eighteenth street is well known. When questioned by the police this morning they denied that there was any third party with them. This the officers do not believe.

The apparatus they had for wrenching off safe combinations is one of the latest additions to the cracksmens kit. The young men say they had it made by a San Francisco blacksmith but told him it was to be used on an elevator. The device was wrapped in a long bill head, on which a plan of it had been drawn. The paper bore the name of W. N. Murray, carriage and wagon factory, 1428 Market street, San Francisco and it is probably there that the apparatus was made.

Officer Ely made a record before last night. He was the officer with Policeman Collins at the Kuhnle saloon burglary at which Cashin and one of the burglars were killed and for which crime Louis Matkosky was tried in the Superior Court.

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CHRISTIANITY'S CREED.

Chester Street M. E. church, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—At 11 A. M., Mr. J. P. Smith of Stockton will deliver an address in the interest of the Y. M. C. A., and the annual report will be read by Mr. Rich. The W. C. T. U. will hold a grand rally at 7.30 P. M., and an address will be delivered by Mrs. Dr. Kellogg-Lane of this city Special music will be rendered on each occasion.

The services at the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) in East Oakland, Rev. V. Marshall Law, rector, will be of a highly extraordinary character, it being the closing day of the Webber mission The Archdeacon preaches both morning and evening. He preaches at St. Luke's in San Francisco in the afternoon, but will return to East Oakland for the evening service, which will be his last in Oakland, as he leaves for Los Angeles early Monday morning. Services at 11 and 7:30. The Lord's supper follows the morning service, the Archdeacon officiating as celebrant. Also, services this evening in the church, Archdeacon Webber officiating and preaching on "The Church and Her Ways, Ceremonials, Dress, etc." Mr. Webber has been enthusiastic over the choir of the Church of the Advent. That such efficient service should be volunteer and then excel the large majority of paid choirs is worthy of special commendation. For twenty services in succession—three each day—there has been a good attendance of this choir, in the evening numbering 35 to 42.

St. Marcus German Lutheran church—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "Christ Our Help."

Union Street Presbyterian church—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. A. B. Brown of Los Angeles. Morning subject: "Harvesting Souls." Evening subject: "After the Holidays." The evening subject is special for young people's meditation and the older people's reflection.

First Unitarian church—Rev. C. W. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic: "How to Choose a Vocation in Life." A sermon for young people. At 7:30 P. M., the fourth musical lecture. Topic: "Beethoven." Illustrative music by Miss Olive Reed, Miss Ina Griffin, Mrs. Carrie Dexter and others.

First Free Baptist church, on Twenty-first street, between Brush street and San Pablo avenue—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Philip Graif will preach in the morning on "The Candles and Golden Lamps of the Lord," and in the evening on "The Real Pillars of Society." Special music. Everybody cordially invited.

Market Street Congregational church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets—The pastor, Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., will preach tomorrow morning and evening and teach a Bible class at 1 P. M. Subjects: At 11 A. M., "The Peculiar Perils of Boys and Young Men, and How to Keep Them from Them"; at 7:30 P. M., "Beauty and Security."

First Christian church, Thirteenth and Market streets, James Small, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. sharp and 7:30 P. M. Theme for the morning: "Lord, What Wilt Thou Have Me to Do?" The first in the series on "The Christian for the Times." Evening: "An Ideal Church." M. M. Meyers of Portland, Or., will be on the platform and talk for ten minutes on Y. M. C. A. work. Everybody will be made very welcome. Good singing sweet solos and all seats free. "The rich and the poor meet together, the Lord is the maker of them all." Sunday school at noon. B. L. Spence, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 P. M. Take any Twelfth or Fourteenth street car.

WILL IT RAIN?

Professor Hammon Will Next Week Tell How Forecasts Are Made.

Weather forecasting takes on a new interest as the rain continues and all are anxious to see the man who says it will and it won't. This desire may be gratified on the evening of January 31st, when Professor Hammon of the United States official forecast will lecture in the Chester Street M. E. church.

The young men of the Epworth League have been doing commendable things lately and this is one that will be appreciated. All intelligent persons wish to understand more perfectly how the forecast is made and the difficulties in the way of certainty in the matter.

Professor Hammon will give the "Present Methods and Limitations and Future Possibilities of Weather Forecasting."

He will open a question drawer that evening and will answer all inquiries in relation to forecasting and kindred subjects.

The questions will receive more concise and lucid answers if submitted to the professor the day preceding the lecture. To this end persons are cordially invited to send questions to Professor S. P. Meads of the High School, to Astronomer Burkhalter of the Chabot Observatory, or to George W. Beatty, 1622 Taylor street.

A SINGING LECTURE.

A Good Entertainment for the Neighborhood Boys' Club

Professor H. B. Pasmore will give his singing lecture at Hamilton Hall, Tuesday evening, February 4th, for the benefit of the Neighborhood Boys' Club. Mr. Pasmore has given this lecture at Stanford University and in San Francisco with great success, and those who go to hear him in Oakland will not only enjoy a good musical programme illustrating his lecture, but will have the satisfaction of assisting a worthy charity.

The pupils who will assist are the Misses Wyman, Warden, Olsson, Forester, and Waters and Messrs. Edgerton, Smith, Rixford and Medley.

The admission will only be 25 cents and as the cause is a worthy one all should assist.

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FISHER'S WILD RIDE.

Heroic Conduct of a Physician During an Exciting Runaway.

Dr. C. M. Fisher was the hero of a thrilling runaway yesterday afternoon. Just after leaving Fabiola Hospital his famous horse "Whiskers" got restless on seeing a hay-stack in an adjoining field and then decided to vary the monotony of life by running away.

The doctor did not realize what "Whiskers" was about until the animal speeded past a four-horse truck, thus giving notice that something unusual was happening. Such unparalleled speed must be stopped at all hazards said the doctor to himself, so he commenced to pull on the lines, to shout "Whoa!" "Ah, Whiskers" and several other remarks appropriate to the occasion, but all in vain, for the horse in the next three blocks actually passed a loaded coal cart.

This mad burst of speed was maintained until town was reached, when "Whiskers" becoming tired stopped of his own accord outside a hay and grain store. The doctor was immediately surrounded by a circle of admiring friends who praised his bravery for not throwing himself out of the buggy or shooting the horse dead. The doctor was hatless, as during the ride his hair had imitated "the quills of a fretful porcupine" and his headgear not being able to balance had fallen off. The doctor is keeping quiet in his room today and taking light nourishment.

COAL IS CHEAPER.

The Coos Bay Company Makes an Appreciative Reduction.

There is nobody, whether rich or poor, who is not interested in being able to secure good coal at the lowest possible rates. This is particularly true when the tendency of things generally is toward an increase in price without the conferring of a corresponding benefit.

In another column of this issue of The Tribune it will be noticed that there is a change in the price of the Coos Bay coal offered here. The price which heretofore prevailed was $7.50 a ton. That has been reduced so that the price stands today simply at $7 a ton. This coal is sootless and smokeless, burns to a clear white ash, gives a grateful glow and retains its heat longer than any other coal in the market. This coal is delivered by all agents at this figure. The company's headquarters are at Broadway and East street, San Francisco.

LAMPING'S TRIAL.

Charges Are Aired Against the Policeman.

The trial of officer Ed Lamping is on today before the Police and Fire Commissioners.

The Chief has alleged six offenses.

Attorney McElroy, who represented the defendant, entered a plea of not guilty to every charge except the one of owing money, which charge, the attorney said, could be explained away.

The witnesses examined showed that Lamping had always paid his bills with the exception of accounts now running.

Mr. Piersol wanted to look into the law regarding the garbage contract, and at his request the investigation was continued to Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 25, 1896.

Northern California: Rain this afternoon, tonight and possibly Sunday; high, southeasterly winds this afternoon.

Southern California: Rain this afternoon and tonight in the northern portion and along the coast; warmer tonight; fresh, southerly winds.

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LICENSED TO MARRY.

Robert W. Hunter, Oakland	26
Mary E. Murray, Oakland	18
Earl S. Halsey, Berkeley	21
Leila B. Ricketts, Fruitvale	18
John Suhr, Oakland	26
Myra H. McFarlin, Oakland	27
John Nufer, Oakland	31
Josie Kathriner, Oakland	21
Leroy C. Smith, San Francisco	29
Anna M. Arnold, San Francisco	22
Walter H. Crever, San Francisco	26
Kittie T. Murphy, San Francisco	23
Martin J. Heavey, San Francisco	28
Loretta M. St. John, Oakland	18
Martin F. Flaherty, San Francisco	30
Elizabeth Kiefer, San Francisco	23
Francis H. Coy, San Francisco	34
Mary L. Rod, San Jose	18

Menzenmeyer Indicted

The Grand Jury this afternoon indicted Albert Menzenmeyer. His bonds were fixed at $15,000.

SOCIETY SPARKLED.

The Reliance Show Brought Out the Best People of Town.

ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT.

Excellent Talent and a Bright Play Appreciated by All.

ABLE AMATEURS APPEARED.

Comments on the Production and Notes About the Audience.

The fact that the histrionic achievements of the Charity Company are enshrined in the hearts of the society people of Oakland was testified to by the audience which greeted the initial performance of "7-20-8" at the Macdonough theater last evening. In the assemblage all the leading families of the city were represented, and the comingling partook of the nature of a grand reception rather than the stiffness and formality of a night at the play. This feature was rendered most noticeable by the cheery recognitions and greetings which took place in the auditorium between mutual acquaintances and the delightful buzz of conversation which characterized the entr'actes.

The curtain rose on time, and, with few exceptions, those who had secured seats were in possession of them before the first lines of the piece were spoken.

The play was new to hundreds of the auditors, and the unfolding of the story was therefore watched with the keenest interest. The tale is told in a sprightly manner, suggestive of the lightness and gaiety which characterized the most successful work of Augustin Daly of a number of years ago. The characters are varied, and while some of them belong to types which are not ordinarily admitted to the higher walks of social life, they serve to round a picture of human nature which is realistic and interesting in the extreme.

J. C. Wilson Jr., without whose name a cast of the Charity Company would appear strange indeed, as has been his wont, played the hero, "Courtney Corliss, a gentleman of leisure with a theory concerning boomerangs," and at the same time "in pleasant pursuit of a face." It was a fact, grateful to the audience, that there was no long dissertation on the theory of the "boomerang." There was, instead, a great deal of Courtney's "search for a face," and it was conducted in a manner which evoked the sympathy of the audience. The face was in the possession of "Flos Bargiss," who was impersonated by Miss Maud Morrell. The course of true love between the two did not run smooth. It was characterized on the part of the suitor with doubt and devotion, while on the part of "Flos" it was signalized by alternate hope and fear. Mr. Wilson appeared in a more difficult role than he has ever assumed here, and it may be said to greater advantage than ever before.

"Mr. Launcelot Bargiss" was impersonated by Alex. J. Rosborough. In this character there was a vein of humor, though it was perhaps more accidental than otherwise. It was the humor occasioned by the poor old man's gullibility, and as such might easily have been carried too far and have turned the sketch into a burlesque. That Mr. Rosborough did not go beyond the line is creditable to a young man who, heretofore, has been expected to grasp the humor in every character he has assumed.

Harry W. Thomas as "Paul Hollyhock," Bargiss' son-in-law, had a somewhat ungrateful role in the earlier scenes. He had little to do that could be done well, and this fact was rendered more galling when, on walking with his wife "Dora," Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, enfolded in his arms, the audience indulged in levity which would have discouraged an experienced professional. Of course the laughter could not scarcely be explained, because the business of the piece required the enfolding referred to. Mr. Thomas and Miss Sharpe lost neither their temper nor presence of mind. Mr. Thomas in the later scenes, where he had something of comedy work to do, did it well.

Frank Mathieu as "Signor Palmiro Tamborini" had an excellent make-up as an Italian "maitre de ballet." He was all activity, nimbleness and grace. His Italian-English patois was good and the facility with which he disported himself stamped the impersonation as one of the great successes of the evening.

W. H. Quinn, Jr., appeared as a "postman on his rounds." It was the fault of the playwright that a postman was delivering mail at about 9 o'clock at night, and not that of Mr. Quinn. Despite that fact Mr. Quinn made a hit in the little scene which he had with "Flos," in which he aided that little lady in endeavoring to attract the attention of her lover across the street to come and protect her in her isolation. Mr. Quinn also kept up the proprieties by coming on the stage, out of a rain storm, with his outer habiliments streaming with the effects of the downpour.

C. J. Dickman gave an artistic impersonation of "Professor Gasleigh," an impecunious, starving and unscrupulous pretender, who played on the gullibility of old "Bargiss55 and his devoted wife with the skill and effrontery of a master. His appearance and make-up were not of the traditional style, but they were sufficiently Bohemian to bear out in an excellent manner Mr. Dickman's conception of the character.

"Mrs. Hypatia Bargiss," a "lady possessed of ancestors, aspirations and a hobby," was impersonated by Mrs. J. Cal. Ewing. While it differed in every sense from the roles in which Mrs. Ewing has heretofore appeared, she was found equal to its requirements. At times she was the tender, devoted wife of "Bargiss," encouraging him in his aspirations to become a writer, and at others successful in devising ways and means of inventing surprises of a pleasant character for her spouse. Mrs. Ewing's conception of the character was correct and consistent and was greatly appreciated.

Daisy Belle Sharpe, who at once served "as her husband's tempter and victim," gave a rounded delineation of the character of "Dora." She was clever throughout, and especially in the third and fourth acts, when she did comedy work of a pleasant character.

Miss Maud Morrell's "Flos" was the ingenue style which has fallen to her in nearly all the performances of this company. It was characterized with simplicity, girlish innocence, doubts, fears, impulsiveness and finally intensest devotion. It can scarcely be said that she appeared to advantage in flossy hair, because the mobility of her features to a great extent was lost against such an amber background. Miss Morrell scored another success and was deservedly appreciated.

The perfection of the cast was rounded out by the excellence of "Jessie," a domestic, who was represented by Edna Elsemere, and who did all that devolved upon her in a manner worthy of praise.

In the setting of the piece the Macdonough did its duty, the last two scenes especially being perfect in appointment and detail.

The orchestral music under the direction of Louis Homeier was artistic.

Beautiful souvenir programmes were given to the patrons. They contained the cast, the history and triumphs of Reliance Club, and a number of other features which will be appreciated by the friends of the organization.

Tonight the play will be repeated and another large house is expected.

Among those present last night were noted the following:

BOXES.

Box A—Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Dalton, Mrs. Ada Dalton Hawes, Mrs. Harry N. Dalton, Miss Lottie White, Henry P. Dalton.

Box C—Dr. H. P. Carlton and wife and Mrs. Vernon Waldron.

Box D—Miss Myra Prather, Miss Bell Mhoon, Miss Florence Dunham, James Moffitt, E. S. Heller, Harry E. Miller.

Box F—Messrs. Uhl Bros. and party.

Robt. and Miss Fitzgerald, J. Cal. Ewing, E. G. Vinzent, A. M. Bailey, Harry and Miss McCormick, Miss Remillard, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Miss Mamie Pope, Senator and Mrs. Denison and the Misses Denison, Ed. Griffeth, Harvey Sloper, Miss Florence Sloper, Mr. and Mrs. Warren English, W. Fennessy, Prof. Soule, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Nordhausen, Dr. Frank Adams and party, Herbert Lang, Ed. Hall and J. M. Merritt, J. Leo Parks and wife, Kenneth Watson, B. Ransome, Robert Gournet, Mr. and Mrs. Will Levit, Dr. and Mrs. Will Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Lerouch and Miss Bertha Rouch, W. W. Foote, Mr. and Mrs. Dieckman, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell, J. Richardts, Will Berry, Phil Remillard, James Ames, Sam. Bell McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Will Henshaw, Judge and Mrs. Henshaw, Miss Ethel Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, A. A. Moore Jr., and the Misses Moore, Walter Henry, Miss Brown of Alameda, Mrs. R. F. Fleming, Miss Rutter, George Strong, Miss Strong and Miss Lillie Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz-knight, Will Hubbard, Ross Morgan, Mrs. and Miss Cameron, Shelby Martin, Miss Louise Bromwell, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, Church Taylor, Fred English, Dr. Will Merriman, Mrs. Harry Thomas, James Creeley, Granville Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meehan, Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Taylor, George Uhl, Charlie Quinn, Willard Wayman, Chas. Parcells, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Adams, Dr. Eaton, Ed Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Britton, Miss W. D. Smith, Elmer Dyer, Joe Racine, Walter Hackett, Arthur Pope, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Dargie, Bert Brayton, Rodger Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Uhl, Carl Abbott, B. McFadden, Mrs. Reni Chabot and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker, Miss Mollie Connors, Alex. Stewart and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Breed, Judge J. J. Allen, Miss Katie Owens, Eugene Van Court, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Benham, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marston, H. K. Snow, Dr. J. P. Dunn, Miss May Jenkins, Irving C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schellhaas, Mrs. Dr. Phipps, Miss Susie Eidland, W. R. Thomas, Mrs. Albert Brown, Albert Brown Jr., Judge and Mrs. Yule, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Egbert, Mrs. E. C. Sessions, Capt. John Hackett, Miss Haight, Al. Lean, Dr. Merriman.

MANAGER CHICAGO JOURNAL

Col. F. C. Pierce Was Made a Well Man by Paine's Celery Compound.

At the door of every newspaper office might be posted the general order—Rush!

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Colonel Pierce is one of the busiest men in Chicago, a city of early and late workers. Brain workers in every profession will thank Colonel Pierce for the following statement recently made by him:

"For several years I have been troubled with sick headache, caused by constipation; otherwise I have always been in perfect health and never sick but for two weeks in my life. This sick headache has been very annoying. I have taken a number of different medicines which have been used and recommended by others, but not until I took Paine's celery compound did I find any relief.

"This season I took one bottle and was not troubled with headache for at least six months. Since that time I have kept the medicine in the office and used it occasionally, and have not been troubled with headache since.

"I have recommended it to a number of my friends, who have been benefited as I have. For a person who is disposed to constipation it is unquestionably one of the best medicines that there is on the market today.

"Yours respectfully,
"F. C. PIERCE."

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The best physicians in every city in this country prescribe Paine's celery compound, where a rapid building up of the system is imperative. As an invigorator in cases of nervous exhaustion, sleeplessness and a poor state of the blood it is the mainstay of the ablest practitioners throughout the United States.

A mere glance at the faces of weak, nervous, run down persons after they have begun to use this greatest of all remedies, shows how rapid is the nourishing effect of Paine's celery compound.

There are thousands upon thousands well today because they used Paine's celery compound.

This Milk Talk

Like the quality of much of the stuff sold by many of the talkers, has little of the cream of common sense in it. We gave the cows, the milk, the cream, the butter and the business. Purity, weight and quality. Jersey Milk, Cream and Butter Company, 3259 Broadway. Telephone 264.

Sir Frederick Leighton Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Lord Leighton, better known as Sir Frederick Leighton, president of the Royal Academy, died this afternoon, aged 65. He suffered from a chill this morning, followed by a serious affection of the heart, which resulted fatally.

Hickey Safely Landed.

Deputy Sheriff Al. White returned today from the Folsom penitentiary, where he escorted Thomas Hickey to commence a twelve years' sentence.

J. Walter Laymance leaves tonight with a party of friends to visit the icebergs of the Sierra Nevadas.

"Tad's" Minstrel Show.

Among the men who always had easy access to the White House was Colonel James M. Farnsworth, formerly member of Congress from the Galena district of Illinois, but at the time of this occurance colonel of the eighth volunteer cavalry and afterward brigadier general. I met the colonel one evening and he invited me to accompany him to the White House. On arriving there we were shown into the executive office, which was located in a room on the second floor to the left and nearly facing the main stairway. On entering we found the room empty, but the presence of Mr. Lincoln's cane and spectacles led us to infer that he would soon return. While waiting we heard the sound of music and, looking out into the corridor, Colonel Farnsworth called to me to look also. The music came from a room near the further end of the corridor, at the door of which Mr. Lincoln stood, evidently listening intently.

We walked down the corridor towards him. As we approached he observed us and motioned us to be silent. We soon discovered, through the door, which was slightly ajar, several soldiers dressed as negro minstrels with banjos and a violin who were giving a genuine ante-bellum negro minstrel show with "Tad" Lincoln for sole audience. Some slight noise at the door attracted Tad's attention that way and rising he hastily closed the door with the merry remark, "Now dad, no peeping." Mr. Lincoln laughed heartily and explained to us that some of the soldiers on duty as guards at the White House were formerly members of the old Christy minstrel troupe, with whom Tad had made friends and whom he induced occasionally to rehearse for his private benefit. The President added that he had rather see a good negro show than a French opera at any time. Continuing the conversation, he said: "Farnsworth, some of my friends are much shocked at what I suppose they consider my low tastes in constantly indulging in stories, some of which I suppose are not just as nice as they might be, but I'll tell you the truth when I say that a funny story, if it has the element of genuine wit in its composition, has the same effect on me that I suppose a good square drink of whisky has on an old toper; it puts new life into me. The fact is I have always believed that a good laugh was good for both the mental and physical digestion.

Have just received a large assortment of early spring flowering bulbs. Now is the time to plant. H. M. Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

Get in out of the rain and get under a waterproof umbrella. Courtney repairs, makes, covers, sells them at bargain prices. 511 Thirteenth street, Oakland.

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Now that Christmas has passed and the little ones pleased, the Grand Rule Bazaars have prepared to meet the demand of more useful articles and feel satisfied they can please the regular trade with more big hearted bargains than ever before.

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BORN.

STONE—In this city, January 23, 1896, to the wife of Edgar P. Stone, a daughter.

MARRIED.

DAHLER—KAUS—In this city, January 11, 1896, by Rev. A. Jatho, Valentine Dahler and Lizzie Kaus, both of Oakland.

DIED.

KELLEY—At the County Infirmary, January 24, 1896, John Kelley, a native of Oregon, aged 43 years.

HAWKEN—At the County Infirmary, January 24, 1896, Henry C. Hawken, a native of Massachusetts, aged 60 years.

Will Care for Their Own.

The Fruit Vale District have finished their new school building and now want to attend to the children who live in Fruit Vale. They have sent a letter to the Board of Education requesting them not to accept any children who live in the district without permission from E. E. Hunt, the clerk.

A Terrible Collision

Occurred late last night directly in front of the Mammoth Furniture stores of J. L. Lyon & Son, at 1250 and 1252½ Broadway. Luckily all their furniture, carpets, ranges, etc., both new and second hand, of which they have an enormous assortment, were inside their store for the night and so no damage was done. Telegraph avenue ran into Broadway.

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Oakland Tribune.

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HITTING HIM HARD.

English Diplomats are Trying to Isolate the Kaiser.

ALLIANCES BEING FORMED.

Genuine Grief Is Displayed Over Prince Henry's Death.

ALL LONDON IN MOURNING.

Bulletins Displayed About the Health of the Queen.

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LONDON, Jan. 25.—It is difficult to imagine a more complicated and uncertain political situation than the one which is now being studied by the statesmen of Europe. Even if the reported alliance between Russia and Turkey is the myth it is said to be, north and south, east and west, everywhere the state of uncertainty as to the future prevails, and the general public, it would seem, must for some time to come be content with being allowed to await developments.

Rumors of alliances and counter-alliances fill the air and crowd the newspapers, but until the shuffling of the cards has been completed and the hands are arranged for the game of bluff and grab believed to be arranged between the powers, it will be difficult to be definitely decided who are partners and who are their opponents.

But one thing seems to gleam out clearly from the fog of diplomacy, and that is that a rearrangement of the European enjanglements is being engineered, if it is not in progress, or even an accomplished fact, and there are persons here who intimate that when the deal is completed Germany, and not Great Britain, will be the "isolated" power of Europe.

This is said to be borne out by the "concessions" Great Britain has made to France and may have made to Russia.

But, of course, this is simply one way of looking at it, and it is by no means certain that it is the right way.

PRINCE HENRY'S DEATH.

The social world is also labouring under a cloud almost as dark as the one overshadowing the world of politics.

This is caused by the sudden death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, son-in-law of Queen Victoria while on his way to the Island of Madeira, on board the British cruiser Blonden, from Cape Coast Castle, West Africa, in an effort to recover from an attack of African fever.

The news caused a great shock to everybody in court circles, and to society in general, and has resulted in a complete up-heaval of social fixtures. No drawing rooms or social entertainments of any kind will be held while court is in mourning, which will be for at least six weeks.

The death of Prince Henry, it is pointed out, has shown him to be an extremely popular young man among those who knew him, and even those who did not have that pleasure have nothing but kind words for the soldier who died for Great Britain, even if his death was from sickness, instead of on the field of battle, as he would undoubtedly have preferred.

His sad end, likened to that of the Prince Imperial of France, has recalled the old story that Princess Beatrice might have been wedded to the son of ex-Empress Eugenie had he not met his death while fighting with the British against the Zulus, and so there is much romantic sympathy expressed for the widowed princess who seems to have twice had her heart wrung with sorrow as a result of British wars in Africa.

The telegrams received from Osborne since the news of the death of Prince Henry was made known there show that both the Queen and Princess Beatrice were terribly overwhelmed by the evil tidings from Sierra Leone.

The Princess was prostrated throughout Wednesday, and did not dine with the royal family, and remained in her bedroom until 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

When she reappeared, it was noticed that the Princess bore deep traces of a night spent in weeping for the dead, and she seemed almost heart-broken when her children were taken to greet her.

Princess Beatrice spent the afternoon with the Queen, who did everything possible to console her, although her Majesty suffered greatly herself.

Bulletins, which from time to time were posted outside the gates of Osborne house, stated that the Queen and her daughter were intensely affected, but that her Majesty's health was not menaced.

These announcements were made necessary by the alarming reports circulated on the Stock Exchange.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The police authorities of Scotland Yard are congratulating themselves on the remarkable absence of crime which has pervaded in the metropolis during the past year. The annual police report which will shortly be issued shows that London, in its freedom from the effects of law-breakers, has made a record which may well be envied by the governments of all large cities.

Mr. Bartlett, who accompanied Smith M. Weed to London in the interests of the Nicaraguan Canal Company, sails for New York this week. He has been busily engaged in conducting financial negotiations connected with the canal, the nature of which still remains a secret. Mr. Bartlett, talking the matter over with a representative of the Associated Press, said:

"The recent war scare has done much to hinder my work. But the controversy between England and the United States has not interfered with my mission so seriously as the uproar caused by the German Emperor's action regarding the South African complications. Although these conditions have delayed negotiations, you may say that matters are progressing favorably."

THE THEATERS.

Business at the leading theaters has been good throughout the week, although the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg, followed by the court going into mourning, has affected the attendance in the most fashionable theaters, but crowded houses are still the order of the day at the Haymarket, where the interest in "Trilby" has not in the least abated; at the Lyric "The Sign of the Cross" is nightly turning away money, and at the St James, where George Alexander has, if not a wholly artistic, at least a monetary success.

The other theaters, the Criterion, Garrick and Savoy, are doing more than the average business with "The Squire of Dames," "The Professor's Love Story" and the "Mikado" respectively.

Charles Wyndham has again been commanded to appear before the Queen, and would have produced his successful "The Squire of Dames" at Osborne Monday evening, January 27th, had it not been for the death of Prince Henry of Battenburg. Mr. Wyndham has always been a favorite with royalty.

The new play by J. M. Barrie, of which E. S. Willard had the refusal, proves on its completion to be much better adapted for exploiting an actress than an actor. In view of this fact, Mr. Willard has waived his rights to the piece, and overtures were made to Marion Terry to star in the play, but an arrangement which was precluded by her prior engagement with Forbes Robertson. It is now hinted that it will be offered to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Terry upon the expiration of their contract with John Hare in America.

The first performance of Fergus Hume's new play "The Fool of the Family" will be given tonight at the Duke of York's Theater. Mr. Cartwright has in the new piece a strong comedy part, and H. B. Irving and Gertrude Kingston, in their respective characters, will be seen to great advantage.

The recent stirring political events have been a godsend to managers exploiting military dramas. All the houses presenting such plays have been doing an extremely large business. Lieutenant Stewart Gordon, R. N., has collaborated with Leonard Outram in the preparation of "True Blue," a nautical drama, which will be produced at the Olympia under the management of Sir Augustus Harris whenever "Cheer, Boys, Cheer" shows signs of waning popularity. The new play is replete with stirring events, and will illustrate in a forcible manner what actual life is on board a man-of-war.

Mrs. Catherine Fisk, the American contralto, has won golden opinions by her rendition of "Delilah" at Glasgow.

DEEPEN THE CHANNEL.

The Board of Trade Is Anxious About Oakland's Harbor.

Forcible Resolutions Adopted in Favor of the Estuary.

The Board of Trade is proving itself to be awake to the necessities of the community. It has determined to do everything possible to improve the estuary, and at a special meeting held yesterday afternoon, resolutions were passed asking the Government to proceed with this all-important work.

The agitation which has been thus well started will be maintained, and as Senator Perkins and Congressman Hilborn are both residents of Oakland, they thoroughly comprehend the situation and will keep their pledges to push the matter in every way possible.

The resolutions adopted yesterday will have much weight, coming as they do, from a representative body of citizens. They are in full as follows.

"Whereas: The Government of the United States has expended large sums of money on the improvement of the Oakland Harbor, and is at present deepening the channel to twenty feet at low water, between the wharves of this city and the deep water of the Bay of San Francisco, by dredging of the hard pan, which in many places is equal to the hardness of sandstone, and cannot be removed by tidal currents or any process but by dredging.

"Whereas: We have been informed by reliable authority that to complete the dredging between our wharves and the deep water of the bay will cost about $250,000.00, and

"Whereas: the deepening of this channel will allow vessels loaded to come to our wharves without first unloading a part of their cargous in San Francisco, and

"Whereas: The one article of coal alone costs every householder and consumer at least 50 cents per ton extra in consequence of not having deep water as aforesaid in said channel, and

"Whereas: A Custom House has been opened in this city by the Government, where importations from foreign countries are receiving attention at the hands of our collector, and

"Whereas: The Government engineers have recommended in their last report to the Secretary of War that this channel aforesaid be deepened and extended westerly to the Bay of San Francisco:

"Resolved: That this board endorses and approves of the recommendation of Col. Mendell of the Government engineers to continue this year the deepening of the channel from our wharves to the Bay of San Francisco;

"Resolved: That we respectfully call the attention of the city government to the above facts and request our Representatives in Congress to vigorously urge an appropriation to be made for the purpose of deepening said channel during the present year.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

STUCK ON THE BAR.

Wreck of the St. Paul, the Magnificent Atlantic Steamer.

NO LIVES ARE IN DANGER.

There Are Chances, Though, of Disaster to the Big Boat.

EFFORTS TO FLOAT HER.

She Ploughed Into the Sand 'Ere the Engines Stopped.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANDY HOOK, Jan. 25.—The American liner St Paul, from Southampton for New York, struck the outer bar of Holrighton, Long Branch, N. J., during a dense fog between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning.

She was shortly afterwards discovered by a patrol from Long Branch Life-Saving Service and preparations made to open communication with her.

The apparatus was dragged to its place and a shot fired across the vessel, and a hawser placed on board.

The people on board desired to remain on the vessel, as there was no danger.

Messages were sent ashore notifying the agents of the Maritime Exchange and wrecking companies of the accident.

Crews from Sea Bright, Monmouth Beach and Long Branch Life-Saving Stations are all in attendance on the steamer.

The wind is light, southwest, with a long ground swell.

When the surf goes down they will go to her in surfboats.

Among the passengers on the St. Paul are Ex-Congressman W. Bourke Cochran, Prince Serge Volkonsky, Dixon C. Walker, Dr. S. A. Knopf Harvey, W. Brown, H. G. Fellows, Miss Minnie Sachs, Louis R. Worth and W. W. Whitehouse.

The St. Paul has on board $1,300,000 specie.

The vessel struck on a sand bar a quarter of a mile from Iron Pier.

Her nose ran about 100 feet into the sand before the engines could be stopped.

She is pointing southwest.

The wind is blowing northwest, but only eight miles an hour.

The St. Paul sailed from Southampton January 18th in charge of Captain Jameson.

When the steamer ran ashore it is said there was only four feet of water over bar.

The old seamen along the shore say the vessel may not be floated a week or more

The wrecking tug Hustler passed out at 9:30 A. M. to render assistance to the St Paul.

At 11 A. M. no passengers had been removed from the steamer.

Two tugs are beside the steamer and another is on the way from New York.

These three will be used in removing the passengers.

The stern line is out to the hold.

The vessel is in the position in which she struck.

The vessel appears to be leaking, dirty water is coming from the ship's pumps.

HARD TO FLOAT.

From the fact that the St. Paul ran aground at high water, it is thought she will not be easily floated.

Next high water will be a little before 2 o'clock and an effort will be made to pull her off.

Meantime everything that can be removed will be taken from the vessel in order to lighten her.

Nine tugs are now with the vessel.

Some steerage passengers became greatly alarmed. When they went on deck, however, and saw the shore they became quiet.

The St. Paul was launched from Cramp's yard, Philadelphia, April 10, 1895.

She is one of the most magnificently appointed vessels in the transatlantic service.

If she is not ready to sail next Wednesday the company will substitute the St. Louis.

REMOVING THE PASSENGERS.

Life saving crews have commenced transferring the St. Paul's passengers to another steamer.

The work of taking off the first and second cabin passengers began at 1:45 o'clock.

In all, 102 men, 42 women, 3 boys, 2 girls and 5 babies were taken from the vessel, making a total of 154 persons.

The steerage passengers are still on the boat.

Some of the baggage is now being removed.

The water ballast tanks have been pumped out, and an effort to pull the vessel off will be made within an hour.

PASSENGERS TRANSFERRED.

LONG BRANCH, Jan. 25.—By 4 P. M. all the steerage passengers had been transferred from the St. Paul to the I. J. Merritt, which started for New York.

No effort to release the St. Paul has yet been made.

Sandbagged.

Robert Walker of 941 Campbell street was sandbagged at the corner of Seventh and Willow streets Thursday night. He believes that his assailants were members of the Fish gang who have frequently threatened to do him up.

Use Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum.

BLEW UP THE DEPOT.

Burglars Apply an Overcharge of Powder to a Safe at Monterey.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MONTEREY, Cal., Jan. 25.—Early this morning burglars blew open the safe of the Southern Pacific agent here, knocking off the dial of the safe and filling the hole with dynamite.

The burglars took the contents of the safe, amounting to only $20.

The inner door of the safe was supposed to be burglar proof.

The burglars are supposed to be strangers and professionals.

The police now think that the robbery in which the thieves made such a small haul was the work of amateurs, as enough powder was used to blow up the entire building.

The office was totally wrecked, partitions and doors smashed and the door of the safe blown through the office door and across the railroad track, making a hole in a fisherman's boat 100 feet distant from the depot.

EXCURSIONISTS WRECKED.

One of Raymond & Whitcomb's Trains Comes to Grief.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Word was received here this morning that the Raymond and Whitcomb special California excursion train which left here at 10:30 yesterday was wrecked last night at Crooked Run, Virginia, on the Norfolk & Western R. R.

No passengers were injured, but the head porter of one of the sleeping cars was instantly killed.

The train consisted of five palace cars.

Representatives of Raymond & Whitcomb on the special train advise them that the accident was caused by a sliding rock loosened by the storm.

The train was bound for Mexico and California.

A DEADLOCK.

Hunter and Blackburn Have Tied Up Kentucky Legislature.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 25.—It now appears there will be no election of a Senator this session.

The supporters of Hunter say no other Republican can win.

The friends of Senator Blackburn swear he is the only Democrat who will be considered.

Two Populists split, one voting with the Republicans and one with the Democrats.

Governor Bradley announces he is for Hunter and says he thinks Hunter can win.

Withstood the Storm.

The streets and sewers withstood the storm with little or no damage. The catch basins and gutters have been opened since the last storm and no reports of damage have reached the superintendent of streets today.

SAYS HE'S ALL RIGHT.

Captain John Hackett Talks on the Garbage Matter.

The Board of Public Works Is Ready to Settle All Details.

The Board of Public Works were to meet this morning to act on the Council resolution to enter into a contract with Captain John Hackett to remove the garbage but after consultation the matter was deferred until 4 o'clock this afternoon.

If the contract is awarded to Captain Hackett the change will not be made until about the 15th of February as there are bonds to be filed and other arrangements made which will take considerable time

The captain does not believe that removing the garbage to sea will be in the least objectionable.

"It is the only way in fact to dispose of it," he said this morning, "but still it is only an assumption that that is the way I intend to do it. I have never said so and there is nothing in my bid which shows it. I do want to keep my tugs at work though. They talk about the New York Garbage. Why they carry out more there in ten days than we will in the whole ten years.

"In regard to prices for removing it from the houses," he continued, "they will be the same as they are now, in fact there may be no change for I may arrange with the scavengers to tow the refuse away for so much and let them continue collecting it. I will do the square thing by them and probably we can make some kind of an arrangement that will be satisfactory to all."

Dr. Archibald's Funeral.

The funeral of the late Dr. Francis A. Archibald was held this afternoon at the family residence, 966 Eighteenth street. The floral pieces were many and beautiful and the casket was a veritable bank of flowers. Dr. Kummer, of whose church Mr. Archibald was a member, preached the service. The remains will be taken to the depot this afternoon and shipped this evening for New York.

Publisher MacMillan Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The death of Alexander MacMillan, of the Publishing House of MacMillan & Co., was today announced by cable from London.

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Hopeful News From the Cape About John Hays Hammond.

HOW AMERICANS ACTED.

They In No Way Attempted to Assault the Boers.

ALL WILL BE AMICABLE.

Parole Granted by Kruger to Nearly All the Offenders.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The State Department today gave out the following statement:

Manian, consular agent at Johannesburg, cables Secretary Olney that the American prisoners are out on parole, except Hammond, whose case differs from that of the others, in that Hammond signed the constitutional invitation to Jameson to come to Johannesburg, in case of extreme peril.

Jameson marched towards Johannesburg, however, before the trouble arose.

When this was discovered the American and other leaders issued proclamations calling on the people to refrain from hostilities.

Instead of inciting rebellion Hammond, in the beginning, raised the Transvaal flag and all in the movement swore allegiance.

Clement and the other Americans took arms from many and sent them home.

Not a shot was fired by the Johannesburg party, there was no disturbance, nor a single act of hostility, arms were peacefully surrendered and every effort made to maintain the republic as against encroachment.

The cases against the American prisoners arrested will be tried in court, though the government has not yet indicated the time of the prosecution.

Manian adds the Transvaal government has acted magnanimously.

In view of the foregoing it is believed here neither Hammond nor any other Americans are in serious peril.

The State Department has cabled to Manian to use the most active and vigorous measures for the relief of Americans, and to that end make the Transvaal government direct representations on behalf of the United States, which acts independently, of course, in its own interests.

TO PROTECT THEMSELVES.

Merchants Will Investigate the Problem of Bad Debts.

The Merchants' Exchange held an important meeting last evening. The question of the non-payment of bills by some of the city and county officials and prominent citizens was discussed. H. D. Cushing, C. W. Hunt and Theo. Gier were appointed a committee to investigate those who are behind in their accounts. The work of the committee will consist chiefly in forming a black list. School Director Webb N. Pearce is endeavoring to make neglect to pay debts contracted for the necessities of life a sufficient reason for the discharge of a school teacher.

The old question of San Francisco drummers selling goods in Oakland was also brought up and a committee appointed to act in conjunction with the license inspector to consult with attorneys concerning action against the commercial men.

Resolutions endorsing the proposal to send a delegate to Washington in the interest of the improvement of California rivers and harbors were passed.

THE ADAMS CASE.

Argument Made on a Motion to Dismiss the Action.

The argument of Attorneys Hynemann and Moore on a motion to dismiss the action brought by Fred S. Adams to annul the marriage with Isabelle Potter last July, was heard today before Judge Frick.

The attorneys based their motion on two propositions. They contended first that the court had no jurisdiction over the defendant and second that the plaintiff had no legal capacity to sue. To those points the counsel applied their argument. Ex-Supreme Court Justice Charles N. Fox appeared in behalf of the plaintiff.

The matter will probably be submitted on briefs.

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NO STATEMENT YET.

Another Continuance Necessary in the Goldberg Case.

A dozen attorneys met in Judge Fricks' court this morning to attempt to reach some settlement of the contest between the executors of the Goldberg estate over the proposed compromise of Dr. Dudley Tait's judgment for $7000.

There was a petition for an order directing the executors to show cause why they should not make the compromise. Attorney Pillsbury, representing Henry Wadsworth, the executor, who objects to the compromise as proposed, argued against the motion and finally as the court was inclined to deny the petition, another continuance until next Saturday was suggested and agreed upon.

Meanwhile further effort will be made to reconcile the points in dispute. It is probable if the executors do not reach a conclusion during the week there will be an order made next Saturday for another partial distribution of the estate. Enough money will be set aside, however, in that event to provide for the claim of Dr. Tait, and the fees of the executors not yet paid.

WIND WROUGHT DAMAGE.

Telephone Service Disabled and Several Boats Run Aground.

The Sunset Telephone Company's cable between Oakland and San Francisco was fouled early this morning by the anchor of Charles Fair's new yacht, "Lucerne" which dragged during the heavy blow. All but one of the cable wires were temporarily disabled.

The telephone service between this city and San Francisco was greatly hampered this morning.

Most of the messages had to be sent round through San Jose. At 11 o'clock manager Fleming reported everything in working order.

During the storm in Oakland Harbor the Arcata drifted over to the Alameda shore and stuck in the mud. The Cheer also ran aground just below on the same side.

HORSE THIEVES AT WORK.

The Hewston Ranch Is Robbed of Two Valuable Animals.

Horse thieves looted the Hewston ranch in the hills back of Mills' seminary last night and two valuable horses were stolen. Sheriff White was notified of the affair and gave orders at once to apprehend the thieves if possible. They were reported as having been seen on the main rode to Niles. Deputy Rose said two men answering the description of the men suspected were seen at that neighborhood early this morning.

HIS BENT THE LAW.

Chief Deputy Sheriff Will White Has a Laudable Ambition.

Chief Deputy Sheriff William R. White has about completed a course of study on the law and will soon be ready to go before the Supreme Court on examination for admission to the bar. The bent of the young man in that direction has been marked ever since he entered upon the onerous duties of his position.

Tapped the Till.

Mrs. Erhnfort, the keeper of a bakery on Broadway, south of Fifth street, has reported to the police that a sneak thief entered her store yesterday afternoon and tapped the till of about $7.50.

A QUEER COMPLICATION.

Menzenmeyer Is Benefited by the Extradition Treaty.

He Can Only Be Tried on the Charge on Which He Is Indicted.

A peculiar complication has arisen in the matter of the extradition of Albert Menzenmeyer. Under the treaty provisions with Great Britain, should papers be sent to Victoria now and Menzenmeyer ordered into the custody of the local officers, he would have to be tried upon the charge upon which he will be indicted, that is assault to murder.

In the event of Perkins' death from the bullet wound he received, Menzenmeyer could not be tried for murder. He would have to be released and given an opportunity to get out of the country before he could be re-arrested.

District Attorney Snook said today he had reliable information that Perkins' condition is serious enough to warrant consideration of the possibility of a murder charge being lodged against Menzenmeyer. Sheriff White is anxious to have the fugitive returned. Still, should Perkins die there might be a miscarriage of justice, because of the peculiar nature of the conditions. The treaty imposes upon the contracting nations that an extradited person must be tried only upon the charge laid against him when extradited. This would, if Perkins should die, after Menzenmeyer had been returned leave the department in a position of being forced to place him on trial for a crime of a lesser degree than resulted, or he would have to be given the chance to leave the United States before he could be again arrested. The officers would be compelled to free him.

LOST AT SEA.

Fate of One of the Escapes From the County Jail.

Edward Duffy, one of the quartet who escaped on May 21st last from the County Jail is supposed to have perished at sea from the schooner Golden Shore under the name of James Conway. The mate fell overboard in a gale. A boat was lowered and Conway or Duffy was drowned, as the small boat was swamped.

Duffy was arrested on a charge of bigamy. He was a sailor and married Miss Brown, daughter of a sailor lodging house keeper in San Francisco. He subsequently wedded a Miss Carrara in Oakland and his first mother-in-law caused his arrest. He was awaiting trial when he made his escape. The police had traced him to British Columbia but there he shipped on the vessel from which he lost his life.

For Better Waterways.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The Supervisors' Finance Committee will recommend the appropriation of $300 to pay the city's proportion of expense of sending a delegation to Washington to urge Congress to improve the rivers and harbors of the State.

MOODY'S MISHAP.

A Well-Known Oaklander Found Unconscious In His Yacht.

HIS INJURIES ARE SERIOUS.

Nothing Definite Known as to the Cause of the Accident.

A RESULT OF THE STORM.

Only a Colored Boy Was With Him on Board the Bonita.

Last night's gale on the bay was responsible for a very serious and probably fatal accident to William C. Moody, one of the most prominent young amateur yachtsmen of this city. He was found this morning in an unconscious condition covered with blood, aboard his schooner yacht Bonita which was pounding upon the side of long wharf east of the restaurant that is midway down the long pier.

The cause of the accident was not known to the railroad men who discovered the plight of the little craft and her owner early this morning. The wind during the early hours was blowing fiercely off the wharf and the yacht was in constant danger of being smashed to bits against the big timbers of the wharf.

The railroad men who found the boat discovered the young man's condition and went to work at once to bring him ashore. This was accomplished with some difficulty for Moody was unconscious and the tossing of the boat rendered it difficult to handle his limp form.

There was no one aboard the Bonita save the injured man and a small colored boy known as Fred. He was badly frightened, however, and was unable to give the rescuers of his captain a lucid description of the way the accident occurred.

All haste was made to have young Moody taken to the Receiving Hospital. A call was sent to the Police station for the patrol wagon to meet the train from the pier upon which Moody was taken to Broadway. Then he was removed to the hospital in the patrol wagon. He was still unconscious when placed upon the operating table where Dr. Johnson made an examination of the injuries which were mainly about the head. There were numerous contusions and lacerations that had caused much bleeding and Dr. Johnson was very much inclined to believe that a fracture at the base of the skull had been sustained. The injured man was covered with blood that flowed freely from his ears and the wounds. The indications were that he was suffering from internal hemorrhage.

The appearance of the blood upon him when he was taken to the hospital would indicate that the accident occurred several hours before the schooner was discovered at the wharf in a helpless condition. The blood had dried and caked upon his face and head and Steward Victory was compelled to use a great deal of warm water to cleanse the injured portion for the doctor's examination.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

The patient is the son of V. D. Moody, formerly president of the First National Bank, and is one of the best known yachtsmen on the bay. As soon as he had been taken to the hospital his father was notified and Dr. Buckland, the family physician, was summoned to assist in caring for the sufferer.

The mystery of the accident puzzles Moody's friends. He was an expert boat sailor and had years of experience. He had a marked penchant for water and boats. He had for six years past been practically aboard the Bonita. He made his home there and the life suited him. He was therefore well qualified to take command of the pretty vessel.

Last week young Moody went to Corte Madera creek. He was returning to Oakland when the accident occurred. It is supposed he was struck by the main boom during some exceptionally hard blow or possibly when he was jibbing. He was unconscious for a few hours before the railroad men got there. After being treated at the hospital he gained consciousness partially, but was unable to talk or hear anything said to him.

The schooner is a well known craft, forty feet long and it is considered one of the best on the bay. She was somewhat damaged by the jolt received on the wharf.

The family residence is at 838 Alice street where young Moody will be removed if his condition warrants it.

Young Moody's father learned this afternoon that his son came down from San Quentin last night. There was a heavy swell on and when the boat lost the wind off the mouth of the harbor, she was carried over onto the wharf. It is supposed that Moody's head was caught by the boom while he was trying to keep the yacht from pounding upon the dock. The Bonita was towed into the foot of Broadway this afternoon.

Christian Endeavor.

The officers of the Oakland City Christian Endeavor Union are making preparations for the open meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall Monday night. Professor Lloyd of the Pacific Theological Seminary and late President of the Chicago City C. E. Union will give an address on "City Missionary Work." Dr. Sanborn on "Lookout Community Work." These will be followed by discussions. Floyd Gray will recite and Emma McCormick is down for a vocal solo. Mr. John Walling, the composer, is booked for one number.

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CRACKSMEN CAUGHT.

Officer Ely Adds More Laurels to His Well-Woven Wreath.

LOTS OF EVIDENCE FOUND.

The Operators Were Preparing to Make Another Coup.

THREE WERE IN THE PARTY.

The Prisoners Well Connected and Are Green Hands.

Officer Ely is the pride of the force this morning. He made the capture of the year last night and landed in custody two young men who are just starting on a career of crime. They aimed high and intended to be safe blowers but there is not evidence enough against them as yet to charge them with any higher offense than carrying burglar's tools.

"It was about 11 o'clock," said Ely this morning, while modestly narrating the circumstances, "that my attention was attracted to three men at the corner of Twentieth street and Telegraph avenue. Two were standing on the corner by the coal yard and the other was across the street. I saw that they had missed cars going both ways so I walked up to the single one and asked him what he was doing. While I was talking to him the other two walked rapidly down Twentieth street and I followed them. I covered up my star, drew my gun and at the corner of Broadway and Eighteenth street I came up to them. I asked where they had been and they said calling on a young lady on Hobart street. They gave the names of Fisch and Morgan and said they lived at Ninth and Jackson streets. My suspicions were aroused and I slipped the handcuffs on them. I rubbed my hand along the outside of their coat pockets and found four revolvers so I took them down to the station."

L. M. Parker, who lives at 1043 Broadway, saw the occurrance and rendered the officer assistance in handcuffing and searching the prisoners.

In each man were two large revolvers of seashore. Besides nearly a full safe-cracking outfit. There were three masks made of black silk handkerchiefs, a large steel stamp made to wrench off safe combinations, files, glass cutters, skeleton keys, screw drivers, candles and other implements of the profession. The jimmy and drill were missing, probably on the man who escaped.

The men gave the names of Clarence Turner and William Fountain and their ages as 19 and 21 respectively. Outside of this they have nothing to say.

They are probably new men at the business. The work done at Smallman & Cummings, Taylor's Safe Works and on the safe of the National Ice Company, does not show the neatness of an expert and from the size of the holes bored in the safe doors and the modus operandi in each case it is certain that these three jobs were done by the same parties.

Another fact which tends to establish them as novices is the ease with which they were captured. Three old time crackesmen as heavily armed as they, would never have been taken by one officer without a show of resistance.

The young men are well dressed and come of good San Francisco families. Fountain's parents lived in Oakland some time ago and the Fountain home on New Broadway, near Eighteenth street is well known. When questioned by the police this morning they denied that there was any third party with them. This the officers do not believe.

The apparatus they had for wrenching off safe combinations is one of the latest additions to the cracksmen kit. Two young men say they had it made by a San Francisco blacksmith but told him it was to be used on an elevator. The device was wrapped in a long bill head, on which a plan of it had been drawn. The paper bore the name of W. N. Murasky, carriage and wagon factory, 1428 Mission street, San Francisco and it is probably there that the apparatus was made.

Officer Ely made a record before last night. He was the officer with Policeman Cashin at the Kuhnle saloon burglary at which Cashin and one of the burglars were killed and for which crime Louis Matheney was tried in the Superior Court.

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CHRISTIANITY'S CREED.

Chester Street M. E. church, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—At 11 A. M., Mr. J. P. Smith of Stockton will deliver an address in the interest of the Y. M. C. A., and the annual report will be read by Mr. Rich. The W. C. T. U. will hold a grand rally at 7:30 P. M., and an address will be delivered by Mrs. Dr. Kellogg-Lane of this city. Special music will be rendered on each occasion.

The services at the Church of the Advent (Episcopal) in East Oakland, Rev. V. Marshall Law, pastor, will be of a highly extraordinary character, it being the closing day of the Webber mission. The Archdeacon preaches both morning and evening. He preaches at St. Luke's in San Francisco in the afternoon, but will return to East Oakland for the evening service, which will be his last in Oakland, as he leaves for Los Angeles early Monday morning. Services at 11 and 7:30. The Lord's supper follows the morning service, the Archdeacon officiating as celebrant. Also, services this evening in the church, Archdeacon Webber officiating and preaching on "The Church and Her Ways, Ceremonials, Dress etc." Mr. Webber has been enthusiastic over the choir of the Church of the Advent. That such efficient service should be volunteer and then excel the large majority of paid choirs is worthy of special commendation. For twenty services in succession—three each day—there has been a good attendance of this choir, in the evening numbering 35 to 12.

St. Marcus German Lutheran church—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "Christ Our Help."

Union Street Presbyterian church—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. A. B. Brown of Los Angeles. Morning subject: "Harvesting Souls." Evening subject: "After the Holidays." The evening subject is special for young people's meditation and the older people's reflection.

First Unitarian church—Rev. C. W. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic: "How to Choose a Vocation in Life." A sermon for young people. At 7:30 P. M. the fourth musical lecture. Topic: "Beethoven." Illustrative music by Miss Olive Reed, Miss Ina Griffin, Mrs. Carrie Dexter and others.

First Free Baptist church on Twenty-first street, between Brush street and San Pablo avenue—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Philip Graff will preach in the morning on "The Candles and Golden Lamps of the Lord," and in the evening on "The Real Pillars of Society." Special music. Everybody cordially invited.

Market Street Congregational church, corner Market and Eighteenth streets—The pastor, Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., will preach tomorrow morning and evening and teach a Bible class at 1 P. M. Subjects: At 11 A. M., "The Peculiar Perils of Boys and Young Men, and How to Keep Them from Them"; at 7:30 P. M., "Beauty and Security."

First Christian church, Thirteenth and Market streets, James Small, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. sharp and 7:30 P. M. Theme for the morning: "Lord, What Wilt Thou Have Me to Do?" The first in the series on "The Christian for the Times." Evening: "An Ideal Church." M. M. Meyers of Portland, Or., will be on the platform and talk for ten minutes on Y. M. C. A. work. Everybody will be made very welcome. Good singing, sweet solos and all seats free. "The rich and the poor meet together, the Lord is the maker of them all." Sunday school at noon. B. L. Spence, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 P. M. Take any Twelfth or Fourteenth street car.

WILL IT RAIN?

Professor Hammon Will Next Week Tell How Forecasts Are Made.

Weather forecasting takes on a new interest as the rain continues and all are anxious to see the man who says it will and it won't. This desire may be gratified on the evening of January 31st, when Professor Hammon of the United States official forecast will lecture in the Chester Street M. E. church.

The young men of the Epworth League have been doing commendable things lately and this is one that will be appreciated. All intelligent persons wish to understand more perfectly how the forecast is made and the difficulties in the way of certainty in the matter.

Professor Hammon will give the "Present Methods and Limitations and Future Possibilities of Weather Forecasting."

He will open a question drawer that evening and will answer all inquiries in relation to forecasting and kindred subjects.

The questions will receive more concise and lucid answers if submitted to the professor the day preceding the lecture. To this end persons are cordially invited to send questions to Professor S. P. Meads of the High School, to Astronomer Burkhalter of the Chabot Observatory, or to George W. Beatty, 1622 Taylor street.

A SINGING LECTURE.

A Good Entertainment for the Neighborhood Boys' Club

Professor H. B. Pasmore will give his singing lecture at Hamilton Hall, Tuesday evening, February 4th, for the benefit of the Neighborhood Boy's Club. Mr. Pasmore has given this lecture at Stanford University and in San Francisco with great success and those who go to hear him in Oakland will not only enjoy a good musical programme illustrating his lecture but will have the satisfaction of assisting a worthy charity.

The pupils who will assist are the Misses Wyman, Warden, Gibson, Forester, and Waters and Meyers, Edgerton, Smith, Rixford and Medler.

The admission will only be 25 cents and as the cause is a worthy one all should assist.

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In another column of this issue of The Tribune it will be noticed that there is a change in the price of the Coos Bay coal offered here. The price which heretofore prevailed was $7.50 a ton. That has been reduced so that the price stands today simply at $7 a ton. This coal is sootless and smokeless, burns to a clear white ash, gives a grateful glow and retains its heat longer than any other coal in the market. This coal is delivered by all agents at this figure. The company's headquarters are at Broadway and East street, San Francisco.

LAMPING'S TRIAL.

Charges Are Aired Against the Policeman.

The trial of officer Ed Lamping is on today before the Police and Fire Commissioners.

The Chief has alleged six offenses.

Attorney McElroy, who represented the defendant, entered a plea of not guilty to every charge except the one of owing money, which charge, the attorney said, could be explained away.

The witnesses examined showed that Lamping had always paid his bills with the exception of accounts now running.

Mr. Piersol wanted to look into the law regarding the garbage contract, and at his request the investigation was continued to Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. JANUARY 26, 1896.

Northern California: Rain this afternoon, tonight and possibly Sunday; high, southeasterly winds this afternoon.

Southern California: Rain this afternoon and tonight in the northern portion and along the coast; warmer tonight, fresh, southerly winds.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Rain this afternoon, tonight and possibly Sunday; high southeasterly winds.

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Local Forecast Official.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Robert W. Hunter, Oakland	26
Mary E. Murray, Oakland	18
Earl S. Halsey, Berkeley	21
Lelia B. Ricketts, Fruitvale	18
John Suhr, Oakland	26
Myra H. McFarlin, Oakland	27
John Nufer, Oakland	31
Josie Kathriner, Oakland	21
Leroy C. Smith, San Francisco	29
Anna M. Arnold, San Francisco	22
Walter H. Crever, San Francisco	26
Kittie T. Murphy, San Francisco	23
Martin J. Heavey, San Francisco	28
Loretta M. St. John, Oakland	18
Martin F. Flaherty, San Francisco	30
Elizabeth Kiefer, San Francisco	23
Francis H. Coy, San Francisco	34
Mary L. Rod, San Jose	18

Menzenmeyer Indicted

The Grand Jury this afternoon indicted Albert Menzenmeyer. His bonds were fixed at $15,000.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SOCIETY SPARKLED.

The Reliance Show Brought Out the Best People of Town.

ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT.

Excellent Talent and a Bright Play Appreciated by All.

ABLE AMATEURS APPEARED.

Comments on the Production and Notes About the Audience.

The fact that the histrionic achievements of the Charity Company are enshrined in the hearts of the society people of Oakland was testified to by the audience which greeted the initial performance of "7-20-8" at the Macdonough theater last evening. In the assemblage all the leading families of the city were represented, and the commingling partook of the nature of a grand reception rather than the stiffness and formality of a night at the play. This feature was rendered most noticeable by the cheery recognitions and greetings which took place in the auditorium between mutual acquaintances and the delightful buzz of conversation which characterized the entr'actes.

The curtain rose on time, and, with few exceptions, those who had secured seats were in possession of them before the first lines of the piece were spoken.

The play was new to hundreds of the auditors, and the unfolding of the story was therefore watched with the keenest interest. The tale is told in a sprightly manner, suggestive of the lightness and gaiety which characterized the most successful work of Augustin Daly of a number of years ago. The characters are varied, and while some of them belong to types which are not ordinarily admitted to the higher walks of social life they serve to round a picture of human nature which is realistic and interesting in the extreme.

J. C. Wilson Jr., without whose name a cast of the Charity Company would appear strange indeed, as has been his wont, played the hero, Courtney Corliss, a gentleman of leisure with a theory concerning "boomerangs," and at the same time "in pleasant pursuit of a face." It was a fact, grateful to the audience, that there was no long dissertation on the theory of the "boomerang." There was, instead, a great deal of Courtney's "search for a face," and it was conducted in a manner which evoked the sympathy of the audience. The face was in the possession of "Flos Bargiss," who was impersonated by Miss Maud Morrell. The course of true love between the two did not run smooth. It was characterized on the part of the suitor with doubt and devotion, while on the part of "Flos" it was signalized by alternate hope and fear. Mr. Wilson appeared in a more difficult role than he has ever assumed here, and it may be said to greater advantage than ever before.

"Mr. Launcelot Bargiss" was impersonated by Alex J. Rosborough. In this character there was a vein of humor, though it was perhaps more accidental than otherwise. It was the humor occasioned by the poor old man's gullibility, and as such might easily have been carried too far and have turned the sketch into a burlesque. That Mr. Rosborough did not go beyond the line is creditable to a young man who, heretofore, has been expected to grasp the humor in every character he has assumed.

Harry W. Thomas as "Paul Hollyhock," Bargiss' son-in-law, had a somewhat ungrateful role in the earlier scenes. He had little to do that could be done well, and this fact was rendered more galling when, on walking with his wife "Dora," Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, enfolded in his arms, the audience indulged in levity which would have discouraged an experienced, professional. Of course the laughter could not, scarcely be explained, because the business of the piece required the enfolding referred to. Mr Thomas and Miss Sharpe lost neither their temper nor presence of mind, Mr. Thomas in the later scenes, where he had something of comedy work to do, did it well.

Frank Mathieu as "Signor Palmino Tamborini" had an excellent make-up as an Italian "maitre de ballet." He was all activity, nimbleness and grace. His Italian-English patois was good and the facility with which he disported himself stamped the impersonation as one of the great successes of the evening.

W. H. Quinn, Jr., appeared as a "postman on his rounds." It was the fault of the playwright that a postman was delivering mail at about 9 o'clock at night, and not that of Mr. Quinn. Despite that fact Mr. Quinn made a hit in the little scene which he had with "Flos," in which he aided that little lady in endeavoring to attract the attention of her lover across the street to come and protect her in her isolation. Mr. Quinn also kept up the proprieties by coming on the stage, out of a rain storm, with his outer habiliments streaming with the effects of the downpour.

C. J. Dickman gave an artistic impersonation of "Professor Gasleigh," an impecunious, starving and unscrupulous pretender, who played on the gullibility of old Bargiss and his devoted wife with the skill and effronterry of a master. His appearance and make-up were not of the traditional style, but they were sufficiently Bohemian to bear out in an excellent manner Mr. Dickman's conception of the character.

"Mrs. Hypatia Bargiss," a "lady possessed of ancestors, aspirations and a nobby," was impersonated by Mrs. J. Cal. Ewing. While it differed in every sense from the roles in which Mrs. Ewing has heretofore appeared, she was found equal to its requirements. At times she was the tender, devoted wife of "Bargiss," encouraging him in his aspirations to become a writer, and at others successful in devising ways and means of inventing surprises of a pleasant character for her spouse. Mrs. Ewing's conception of the character was correct and consistent and was greatly appreciated.

Daisy Belle Sharpe, who at once served "as her husband's tempter and victim," gave a rounded delineation of the character of "Dora." She was clever throughout, and especially in the third and fourth acts, when she did comedy work of a pleasant character.

Miss Maud Morrell's "Flos" was the ingenue style which has fallen to her in nearly all the performances of this company. It was characterized with simplicity, girlish innocence, doubts, fears, impulsiveness and finally intensest devotion. It can scarcely be said that she appeared to advantage in flossy hair, because the mobility of her features to a great extent was lost against such an amber background. Miss Morrell scored another success and was deservedly appreciated.

The perfection of the cast was rounded out by the excellence of "Jessie," a domestic, who was represented by Edna Elsemere, and who did all that devolved upon her in a manner worthy of praise.

In the setting of the piece the Macdonough did its duty, the last two scenes especially being perfect in appointment and detail.

The orchestral music under the direction of Louis Homeler was artistic.

Beautiful souvenir programmes were given to the patrons. They contained the cast, the history and triumphs of Reliance Club, and a number of other features which will be appreciated by the friends of the organization.

Tonight the play will be repeated and another large house is expected.

Among those present last night were noted the following:

BOXES.

Box A—Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Dalton, Mrs. Ada Dalton Hawes, Mrs. Harry N. Dalton, Miss Lottie White, Henry P. Dalton.

Box C—Dr. H. P. Carlton and wife and Mrs. Vernon Waldron.

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This Milk Talk

Like the quality of much of the stuff sold by many of the talkers, has little of the cream of common sense in it. We have the cows, the milk, the cream, the butter and the business. Purity, weight and quality. Jersey Milk, Cream and Butter Company, 1259 Broadway. Telephone 264.

MANAGER CHICAGO JOURNAL

Col. F. C. Pierce Was Made a Well Man by Paine's Celery Compound.

At the door of every newspaper office might be posted the general order—Rush!

The busiest concerns in the busiest streets are sluggards compared with these newsgathering hives where human dagers and brains are matched to keep up with machinery.

The brunt of this fatiguing mental strain unavoidable to getting out one of the big city dailies for example, the Chicago Evening Journal, falls on its business manager—in the case of this oldest daily in Illinois, Colonel Frederick C. Pierce.

Colonel Pierce is one of the busiest men in Chicago, a city of early and late workers. Brain workers in every profession will thank Colonel Pierce for the following statement recently made by him:

"For several years I have been troubled with sick headache, caused by constipation; otherwise I have always been in perfect health and never sick but for two weeks in my life. This sick headache has been very annoying. I have taken a number of different medicines which have been used and recommended by others, but not until I took Paine's celery compound did I find any relief.

"This season I took one bottle and was not troubled with headache for at least six months. Since that time I have kept the medicine in the office and used it occasionally, and have not been troubled with headache since.

"I have recommended it to a number of my friends, who have been benefited as I have. For a person who is disposed to constipation it is unquestionably one of the best medicines that there is on the market today.

"Yours respectfully,
"F. C. PIERCE."

"Business Manager Chicago Evening Journal."

A black cloud is no surer indication of an approaching storm than persistent headaches are of dangerous debility.

There is no one specific that can permanently cure headaches unless it goes to the seat of the trouble. That great nerve and brain restorer, Paine's celery compound, does get rid of them and leaves no chance for their return, because the deep-seated cause—the weakened nervous system, at last is supplied with the food it has so sadly felt the need of.

The best physicians in every city in this country prescribe Paine's celery compound, where a rapid building up of the system is imperative. As an invigorator in cases of nervous exhaustion, sleeplessness and a poor state of the blood it is the mainstay of the ablest practitioners throughout the United States.

A mere glance at the faces of weak, nervous, run down persons after they have begun to use this greatest of all remedies, shows how rapid is the nourishing effect of Paine's celery compound.

There are thousands upon thousands well today because they used Paine's celery compound.

Sir Frederick Leighton Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Lord Leighton, better known as Sir Frederick Leighton, president of the Royal Academy, died this afternoon, aged 65. He suffered from a chill this morning, followed by a serious affection of the heart, which resulted fatally.

Hickey Safely Landed.

Deputy Sheriff Al. White returned today from the Folsom penitentiary, where he escorted Thomas Hickey to commence a twelve years' sentence.

J. Walter Laymanac leaves tonight with a party of friends to visit the icebergs of the Sierra Nevadas.

"Tad's" Minstrel Show.

Among the men who always had easy access to the White House was Colonel James M. Farnsworth, formerly member of Congress from the Galena district of Illinois, but at the time of this occurrence colonel of the eighth volunteer cavalry and afterward brigadier general. I met the colonel one evening and he invited me to accompany him to the White House. On arriving there we were shown into the executive office, which was located in a room on the second floor to the left and nearly facing the main stairway. On entering we found the room empty, but the presence of Mr. Lincoln's cane and spectacles led us to infer that he would soon return. While waiting we heard the sound of music and, looking out into the corridor, Colonel Farnsworth called to me to look also. The music came from a room near the further end of the corridor, at the door of which Mr. Lincoln stood, evidently listening intently.

We walked down the corridor towards him. As we approached he observed us and motioned us to be silent. We soon discovered, through the door, which was slightly ajar, several soldiers dressed as negro minstrels with banjos and a violin who were giving a genuine ante-bellum negro minstrel show with "Tad" Lincoln for sole audience. Some slight noise at the door attracted Tad's attention that way and rising he hastily closed the door with the merry remark, "Now dad, no peeping." Mr. Lincoln laughed heartily and explained to us that some of the soldiers on duty as guards at the White House were formerly members of the old Christy minstrel troupe, with whom Tad had made friends and whom he induced occasionally to rehearse for his private benefit. The President added that he had rather see a good negro show than a French opera at any time. Continuing the conversation, he said: "Farnsworth, some of my friends are much shocked at what I suppose they consider my low tastes in constantly indulging in stories, some of which I suppose are not just as nice as they might be, but I'll tell you the truth when I say that a funny story, if it has the element of genuine wit in its composition, has the same effect on me that I suppose a good square drink of whisky has on an old toper; it puts new life into me. The fact is I have always believed that a good laugh was good for both the mental and physical digestion.

Have just received a large assortment of early spring flowering bulbs. Now is the time to plant. H. M. Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

Get in out of the rain and get under a waterproof umbrella. Courtney repairs, makes, covers, sells them at bargain prices. 514 Thirteenth street, Oakland.

Good Bye to Santa Claus.

Now that Christmas has passed and the little ones pleased, the Grand Rule Bazaars have prepared to meet the demand of more useful articles and feel satisfied they can please the regular trade with more big hearted bargains than ever before.

A. and M. SCHLUETER, Proprietors.
Washington street, corner of Ninth; and also near City Hall.

BORN.

STONE—In this city, January 23, 1896, to the wife of Edgar P. Stone, a daughter.

MARRIED.

DAHLER—KAUS—In this city, January 11, 1896, by Rev. A. Jatho, Valentine Dahler and Lizzie Kaus, both of Oakland.

DIED.

KELLEY—At the County Infirmary, January 24, 1896, John Kelley, a native of Oregon, aged 43 years.

HAWKEN—At the County Infirmary, January 21, 1896, Henry C. Hawken, a native of Massachusetts, aged 60 years.

Will Care for Their Own.

The Fruit Vale District have finished their new school building and now want to attend to the children who live in Fruit Vale. They have sent a letter to the Board of Education requesting them not to accept any children who live in the district without permission from E. E. Hunt, the clerk.

A Terrible Collision

Occurred late last night directly in front of the Mammoth Furniture stores of J. L. Lyon & Son, at 1250 and 1252½ Broadway. Luckily all their furniture, carpets, ranges, etc., both new and second hand, of which they have an enormous assortment, were inside their store for the night and so no damage was done. Telegraph avenue ran into Broadway.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in New Modern and Second-Hand Furniture.

Carpets and ranges retailed at low prices for cash. Will pay cash for or exchange good modern furniture in any quantity. Makes auction sales on premises. Call and see.

C. W. KINSEY,
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For Sale.

Good second hand furniture of all descriptions, cheap, for cash, at Schellhaas'.

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hurt feet. Goodyear Welts don't. Feet rest with comfort in them. All dealers sell them. All ages, both sexes, may wear them.

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Bring it with you. Get a pair of the following: 850 pairs Ladies' High Grade Shoes, A A to D widths, sizes 13 to 3½, at 85c a pair. A little old-fashioned, but the quality and price will make you forget that. Suitable for Misses' School Shoes.

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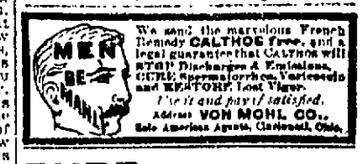

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Too Late for Classification

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A gold comb Wednesday returning from the California Theater to East Oakland. Please return to 627 E. 11th st.

TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED.

THE TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED—Is an index to the wants of the community; an epitome of professional and commercial enterprise; and a systematized reference for appreciative readers.
THE TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED—In its various departments runs the gamut of almost every business endeavor.
THE TRIBUNE CLASSIFIED—Is a clear mirror of the passing wants of employer and working people.
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W. E. DARGIE,
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UP-TOWN OFFICE.
A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1215 New Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

SHAMPOOING, hair brushed; also hair bleached or dyed, at your home; engagements made. Miss McIntyre, 553 Caledonia av.

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MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made candies; ice cream made and delivered; bouillon 10c; chocolate and cakes 10c; 906 Seventh st.; Market street station.

DO YOU want a bicycle? Do you want to sell one? Have you a fire-proof safe you wish to dispose of? Advertise your wants in the Tribune Classified.

MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment office. Agency United States Laundry, 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

LADIES HAIR DRESSING—Have your hair dressed at your home; prompt attention to orders and best of service rendered; shewest and latest styles. Mrs. H. A. Azmon, 926 B. Seventh street.

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing. Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special prices Thursday, facial steaming, 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present see us at 408 11th st.

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ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counsellor, with dist. att'y. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

CARLTON W. GREENE—Attorney-at-law, with dist. att'y. Court House.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

DODGE & FRY—Attorneys-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 21 and 22, Blake & Moffitt building.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FRANK W. SAWYER—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 72-3-4, Oakland.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 8th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 561 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 554½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. att'y's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

W. F. ARAM—Attorney-at-law, 856 Broadway.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

O. I. DENISON—Notary public, real estate; houses rented. 472 10th st.

REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 468 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A good second-hand upright piano; will pay cash. Address John Cook, box 2, Tribune.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and the future; ladies 25c; gentlemen 50c; 775 22d st., bet. West and Brush sts., Oakland.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 843 Franklin.

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FOR SALE—Corner hotel of 17 rooms nicely furnished, with bar; centrally located. Address W. S. box 2, Tribune.

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SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

EXPERIENCED nurse and housekeeper wishes a good position. Miss Carl, Oakland Postoffice.

A WOMAN with good references wishes a situation to do house work; is a good cook and laundress. Apply 1222 12th av., East Oakland, Vincent House.

SITUATION wanted by a Swedish girl at cooking or general housework. Good cook. Address 812 12th st.

TWO German girls wish positions for general housework in small family; can give good references. Apply at 1116 Broadway. Call bet. 2 and 5 P. M.

A SWEDISH girl would like a place to do general housework; is a good cook; was 4 years in last place. Call at 705 2d st., cor. Washington; always at home.

WANTED—By a competent woman, a situation in city or country to do general housework or cooking; country preferred. Apply 253 10th st.

A COMPETENT woman would like situation as cook or to do general housework. Apply 517 9th st., room 13.

A SWEDISH girl, good cook, wishes situation to do general housework; no cards; please call at 830 Center st.

A COMPETENT woman wishes situation to do general housework in American family; good cook and laundress. Call 1518 5th st., Oakland, bet. Chester and Henry sts.

SMITH'S—Employment and house renting Agency, cor. 17th st. and Telegraph av.; help of all descriptions and nationalities; those having homes to let please call and give particulars.

GIRL would like place to cook or do general housework. Apply 519 10th st.

WANTED—Situations for first class cooks, girls for housework, second nurse girls; these girls are all nationalities with references. Call at Hair Parlors, 1153 Washington st. Telephone 1022.

SWEDISH and German Employment Bureau can always be depended upon to furnish strictly first-class referenced servants for situations of all kinds, male or female, any nationality. 921 Broadway, room 17, corner 9th st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—In a small family, a competent girl to do general housework, washing given out; wages $18. Apply 2229 Central av., near Walnut st., Alameda.

SITUATIONS WANTED MALE.

YOUNG Swiss milker would like position on ranch or dairy as a milker. Apply 872 Broadway, Oakland.

PRACTICAL landscape gardener wants work by day. Apply at 560 Clay st., upstairs. Louis Zillich.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A man to take an office and represent a manufacturer; $79 per week; small capital required. Address, with stamp, Manufacturer, box 212, Concord Junction, Mass.

WANTED—A first class cook for private family; $30 per month; Catholic preferred; also a good cook for private boarding house; good places for girls for housework, good wages. Call at Hair Store, 1153 Washington st.

WANTED—A good strong boy to learn trade. One with ability in drawing preferred. Address W. W., box3, Tribune.

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LADIES—I make big wages doing pleasant home work, and will gladly send full particulars to all sending 2c stamp. Miss M. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Michigan.

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D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1063 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1068 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

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HIS FAITH IN THE MUTUAL LIFE.

Mr. George H. Ripley, for many years president of the Home Life Insurance Company of this city, was a policy holder in The Mutual Life and a persistent one. In 1847 Mr. Ripley became insured in The Mutual Life for $3000. The policy was increased by dividends and finally became a death claim for $11,189.

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MORNING.

First Baptist church—Annual report, L. G. Burpee; address, Robert S. Boyns of the San Francisco Association.

First Methodist church Annual report, W. C. Barnard; address, H. J. McCoy, general secretary San Francisco Association.

Asbury M. E. church—Annual report, F. A. Jackson; address, Grove F. Ekins, general secretary Sacramento Association.

Chester Street M. E. church—Annual report, E. S. Finch; address, J. P. Smith, general secretary Stockton Association.

Tenth Avenue Baptist church—Annual report, Chas. Glunz; address, M. M. Myers, Portland, Or.

English Lutheran church—Annual report, A. T. Brock; address, D. Edward Collins, president Oakland Association.

Central Christian church—Annual report, W. E. Gibson; address, Lieut. Com. A. V. Wadhams of U. S. Monterey.

Market Street Congregational church—Annual report, F. F. Barbour; address, Rev. Dr Chapman, pastor.

EVENING.

Eighth Avenue M. E. church—Annual report, F. A. Jackson; address, H. J. McCoy, general secretary San Francisco Association.

United Presbyterian church—Annual report, W. C. Barnard; address, J. P. Smith, general secretary Stockton Association.

Fourth Congregational church—Annual report, C. F. Baker; address, Noel H. Jacks, general secretary Oakland Association.

Plymouth Avenue Congregational church—Annual report, W. E. Gibson; address, Grove F. Ekins, general secretary Sacramento Association.

Brooklyn Presbyterian church—Annual report, W. B. Fry; address, D. Edward Collins, president Oakland Association.

Pilgrim Congregational church—Annual report, F. F. Barbour; address, R. S. Boyns of the San Francisco Association.

First Christian church—Annual report, M. M. Meyers, Portland, Or.; address, Rev. James Small, pastor.

St. Stephen's Mission (Episcopal), Twenty-third avenue, Thomas' hall, East Fourteenth street, near Twenty-third avenue—Sunday school, 3 P. M. Even-song with sermon by the priest in charge, 7:30 P. M. All welcome.

St. Paul's Episcopal, Fourteenth and Harrison, Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector—Harrison, Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector—

Brooklyn Presbyterian church, S. S. Palmer, pastor—Morning sermon, 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Brother of the Prodigal." Evening, 7:30. Y. M. C. A. anniversary. D. Edward Collins will give the address. One of Oakland's bankers will give some good advice.

First Methodist Episcopal church—At 11 A. M., Mr. H. J. McCoy will speak on behalf of the Y. M. C. A. of Oakland. In the evening at 7:30 Dr Kummer will give the fourth sermon in his series on popular amusements. His theme will be "The Theater."

Asbury church, corner Clay and Fifteenth streets—Preaching at 11 A. M. Address in interest of Y. M. C. A. by general secretary Grove F. Ekins of Sacramento Association. Annual report read by Mr. F. A. Jackson of Oakland Association. At 7:30 P. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Nobility of Character." All are welcome to these services. H. M. McKnight, pastor.

First Baptist church, Rev. C. F. Hobart, pastor—Services 10:30 and 7:30. The morning service tomorrow will be in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Boyns of San Francisco speaking of Y. M. C. A. work. In the evening the pastor will discuss "Jonah and the Whale Story."

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran church, J. H. Theiss, pastor—Services at 10:15 A. M. Subject: "The Christian Living Peacefully With All Men." Services in Lorin hall at 3 P. M.

Swedish Mission church, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. In East Oakland Twenty-fourth Avenue M. E. church. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 P. M. Every one welcomed.

First Presbyterian church—Dr. Coyle will preach at 11 A. M. on "A Garden Without Water"; and at 7:30 P. M. on "Changing Gods; or, A Religious Controversy."

Theosophical society—Lecture by Mr. E. R. Jones of San Francisco. Subject: "Job's Choice." At the Theosophical library, Hamilton hall, at 8 P. M.

Pilgrim Congregational church, Rev. M. Willett, pastor—Subject in the morning: "Virtue Imparted, and How." In the evening representatives from the Y. M. C. A. will deliver addresses.

Eighth Avenue M. E. church, S. J. Carroll, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. Subject: "How to Banish Trouble." Address by H. J. McCoy, secretary of the San Francisco Y. M. C. A., at 7:30 on "The Work of Young Men." Epworth League at 6:30.

Thirty-fourth Street Methodist church—The pastor, Rev. G. H. Jones, will preach both times. Subjects: Morning, "Quench Not the Spirit"; evening, "The Records." Epworth League at 6:45 P. M.

Tenth Avenue Baptist church, pastor, Rev. C. M. Hill—At 11, the seventeenth anniversary of the Oakland Y. M. C. A. will be observed. An address will be made by Mr. M. M. Meyers of Portland, Or. At 7:30, the pastor will preach. Subject: "Men and the Church."

Prospect Hill Presbyterian church, Fruitvale, Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor—Services, 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon: "Our Need of the Holy Spirit." Evening subject: "A Religion of Joy."

First English Lutheran church, corner Grove and Sixteenth streets, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, D. D., pastor—The anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. will be observed at 11 A. M., and Mr. A. T. Brock will read the seventeenth annual report. An appropriate address will be delivered by the president of the Oakland Association, Mr. D. Edward Collins. The pastor, Dr. Bushnell, will preach at 7:30. Subject: "Why Christ Wins." All welcome, and young men generally are especially invited to attend the anniversary service.

Plymouth Avenue Congregational church—The pastor will preach in the morning. Subject: "Jesus of Nazareth, Who Went About Doing Good." Evening, seventeenth anniversary of Oakland Y. M. C. A. Address by Grove F. Ekins, Sacramento, late of Knox college, Illinois.

First Universalist church—Services both morning and evening. Morning sermon by Rev. John Hughes. Subject: "In the Divine Economy There Is No Absolute Loss." Text: "The Son of Man is come to seek and save that which was lost." Luke, 19:10. Evening: Rev. Mrs. Kate Hughes will speak on "Progress in Religious Thought" from the text "And the Lord said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward." Ex., 14:15.

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Reports and Resolutions at the Meeting of Directors.

At the annual meeting of the Home Association for Aged and Infirm Colored People which was held yesterday, at 761 Sixth street, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. A. F. Standford; first vice president, Mrs. H. E. Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Louisa Jackson; third vice president, Mrs. S. Oldstone; recording secretary, Mrs. L. S. Jackson; treasurer, Mrs. Alla Smith; financial secretary, Mrs. R. Leeks; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Thos. Pearson; banking committee, Mesdames J. H. Oliver, L. D. Gardener and M. Humphries; auditors, Mrs. M. Williams, Miss Van Alstyne and Mrs. J. Holland.

Mrs. Thos. Pearson offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That in recognition of the kindness shown us by the Western Outlook, we declare the aforesaid "race" paper the official organ of this association."

Mrs. Louisa Jackson, ex-president of the association, presented the following, which was also unanimously carried:

"Resolved, That we deeply regret the annoyance to which Thos. Pearson has been subjected because of service rendered this association; and be it further

"Resolved, That we denounce the statements published in the San Francisco Elevator reflecting upon his integrity, as having been wilfully false and malicious."

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—"7-20-8."
Oakland—"Ten Thousand Miles Away."
California—"In Old Kentucky."
Columbia—"The Ensign."
Tivoli—"Dixie."
Morosco's—"A Man Without a Country."
Alcazar—"The Wolves of New York."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Ingleside Track—Races.

SATURDAY.....January 25, 1896.

The findings of the investigating committee on the charges of Lord Dunraven show that his complaints were groundless. He charged substantially that he had been tricked out of the race by members of the New York Yacht Club. He lost the race because his boat was not fast enough. Dunraven is an honorary member of the club. He must either make proper acknowledgements of his error or go out of the club.

Congressman Scranton of Pennsylvania has introduced a bill which gives Alaska the right to send a territorial delegate to be sent must be elected rights and privileges as other delegates. Alaska is an unorganized territory. It has no local legislature, although it has a Governor and a custom house. The delegate to be elected must be elected by the people. He would represent a small number of whites and a very large material interest.

Governor Greenhalge of Massachusetts has apparently changed his mind about woman suffrage. In his message a year ago he favored the extension of suffrage to women. This year he says the vote on the question at the recent election would seem to show that "public opinion will not for some time be prepared to accept any radical change in the established system of suffrage." The indifference shown by the very large majority of women was conclusive. If they don't want suffrage it will never be thrust upon them.

President Kruger's prisoners are described in a telegram from London, especially as to their financial character: "Among those arrested is Lionel Phillips, who is the registered holder of Rand shares to the amount of £1,250,000. Calculations based on knowledge of the properties of the other prisoners show that the total money value of the property liable to be confiscated is £14,000,000. The clemency shown by the Boers to Dr. Jameson and the other raiders is suspected to cover their intention to keep their grip on the better spoil. The fortune of Cecil Rhodes, the ex-Prime Minister of Cape Colony, is estimated at £7,000,000. Besides coming to England to defend the interests of the British South Africa Company, in which he is the ruling spirit, and of Dr. Jameson, Mr. Rhodes is concerned in a project for the purchase of Portugal of Delagoa Bay, East Africa, by an English syndicate."

An agent of the Free State of Congo has recently been in this country to secure the services of a few Americans. They are said to be secured under the offer of clerkships and offices. The pay is only $300 a year with expenses. A question has arisen whether the enlistment of these men under cover for military services is not a violation of treaty rights.

Minister Le Ghait of Belgium says that while it is true that an agent of the Congo Free State of the name of Lemarinel is in Washington to engage men Americans for the administrative service of the Congo government, there is no ground for any assertion that any breach of neutrality has been committed or contemplated, and no truth in the statement that the Belgian government has any direct official connection with the matter. The Congo authorities prefer Americans to fill certain administrative clerkships and have naturally sent here for them. It is understood that Mr. Lemarinel, who has made no secret whatever of his mission to Washington, but on the contrary has courted publicity, has completed his engagements with the men he needed and will accompany them to the Congo directly.

On the Upward Grade.

Wheat was sold yesterday in San Francisco for $1 18¾ a cental. That is the highest price it has touched in more than a year. It is comparatively a low price, but the upward tendency is strong. It may go a long way beyond the present figure. The Australian markets, according to recent reports, will take from California not less than 250,000 tons of wheat. A large wheat crop in California this year, with the old prices, would set a great many men on their feet who have been sliding down the grade for the last two years.

A report comes from Riverside that the damage to the orange crop in that vicinity is much greater than was first stated. Six hundred carloads of frosted oranges will be withheld from the market. This difference will hardly be perceptible in an aggregate of nearly or quite 10,000 carloads, according to the estimates that have recently been made. Riverside is the coldest district in the orange belt of Southern California. It suffered more than any other in the recent cold snap. According to the present outlook, the citrus growers of California will receive more money for the present crop than was realized for any former season.

If the silver men could have a lift in one of the most important industries of this state it would be greatly quickened. There is some prospect of a considerable advance in this product. It is reported that the dealers in New York are trying to establish a corner in silver and have been taking steps in evidence that the scheme is on foot. On the whole, there is a fair outlook for many industries in California when the year ago.

Reminiscences of National Conventions.

The first National Convention was held in Baltimore in 1832, when Andrew Jackson was nominated. Before that time nominations were made either by caucuses of members of Congress, or by the Legislature. Sometimes they were made without any of these formalities. There was something like a general acclamation for some particular man. Washington, the Adamses, Jefferson, Madison and Monroe were all nominated outside of National Conventions.

Recently there has been something like a canvassing of lucky and unlucky places for holding conventions. Minneapolis, for instance, is not considered a fortunate place because the only Presidential candidate there was defeated. New York is not set down as a fortunate place because the only Democratic candidate nominated there was defeated. Charleston is out of favor because the Democratic convention held there on the eve of the civil war went all to pieces as it ought to have done. Douglas had the support of the Northern element and Breckinridge was supported by the Southern element. More candidates nominated in Baltimore have missed an election than those nominated in any other city.

Here is a list of the Democratic conventions, with the dates and places where they were held:

1832—May 12-13, Baltimore, A. Jackson.
1836—May 20-23, Baltimore, M. Van Buren.
1840—May 5-6, Baltimore, M. Van Buren.
1844—May 27-29, Baltimore, James K. Polk.
1848—May 22-26, Baltimore, Lewis Cass.
1852—June 1-6, Baltimore, Franklin Pierce.
1856—June 2-6, Cincinnati, James Buchanan.
1860—April 23-May 3, Charleston, no nomination.
1860—June 18-22, Baltimore, S. A. Douglas.
1860—June 22-23, Baltimore, J. C. Breckinridge.
1864—August 29-31, Chicago, G. B. McClellan.
1868—July 4-9, New York, H. Seymour.
1872—May 1-4, Cincinnati, Horace Greeley.
1872—July 9-10, Baltimore, Horace Greeley.
1876—June 27-29, St. Louis, S. J. Tilden.
1880—June 22-24, Cincinnati—W. S. Hancock.
1888—June 5-7, St. Louis, Grover Cleveland.
1884—July 8-10, Chicago, Grover Cleveland.
1892—June 21-23, Chicago, Grover Cleveland.
1896—July 7, Chicago.

In this list eleven of the candidates were defeated. Van Buren was once defeated and once elected. Cleveland was once defeated and once elected. His defeat resulted from the nomination made in 1888 at St. Louis. That has not been a fortunate city for Democratic nominations. However, it may be this year for the Republicans. The first National Republican Convention nominated John C. Fremont. Here is a list of the consecutive conventions up to date.

1856—June 17-19, Philadelphia, J. C. Fremont.
1860—May 16-18, Chicago, A. Lincoln.
1864—June 7-8, Baltimore, A. Lincoln.
1868—May 20-21, Chicago, U. S. Grant.
1872—Philadelphia—U. S. Grant.
1876—June 14-17, Cincinnati, R. B. Hayes.
1880—June 2-8, Chicago, J. A. Garfield.
1884—June 3-6, Chicago, J. G. Blaine.
1888—June 19-25, Chicago, B. Harrison.
1892—June 7-10, Minneapolis, B. Harrison.
1896—June 16, St. Louis.

There is nothing in these tables that would establish any theory that one city is more fortunate than another for nomination conventions, although Chicago is evidently the favorite city. Candidates have lost and won, not because the nomination was associated with any particular city, but because there was a temporary triumph or defeat of the political policy that was advocated.

Carnegie on Business Men.

Andrew Carnegie is a hard-headed business man whose talks about business have more than the usual interest because he is a successful man and lays down the lines of success for others. He recently delivered a discourse on business to the students of Cornell University. He laid down the proposition that no man is in business who simply works for a salary, not even a bank or railroad president.

"There is no great fortune to come from salary, however high, and the business man pursues fortune. If he be wise he puts all his eggs in one basket, and then watches that basket. If he is a merchant in coffee he attends to coffee; if a merchant in sugar, he attends to sugar, and lets coffee alone, and only mixes them when he drinks his coffee with sugar in it. If he mines coal and sell it, he attends to the black diamonds; if he owns and sails ships, he attends to shipping, and ceases to insure his own ships just as soon as he has surplus capital and can stand the loss of one without imperiling his solvency; if he manufactures steel, he sticks to steel, and severely lets copper alone; if he mine ironstone, he sticks to that, and avoids every other kind of mining, silver and gold mining especially. This is because a man can thoroughly master only one business, and only if he be an able man can he do this. I have never yet met the man who fully understood two kinds of business; you cannot find him any sooner than you can find a man who can think in two languages equally and who does not invariably think only in one."

As a general proposition this statement may be true. And yet there are any number of instances where men have embarked in two or three kinds of business and have been successful in all. They did not put all their eggs in one basket. Men earning salaries, however large, seldom become rich. Neither do the majority of physicians and lawyers. In a large city some years ago a census was made of all the lawyers, consisting of about 300. A number had become rich. It was found that not one had become so through his professional receipts. He had invested a little money in real estate or some other growing business. The secret of success is briefly stated in this paragraph:

It is a simple matter of honest work, ability and concentration. There is no question about there being room at the top for the exceptional man in any profession. These have not to seek patronage; the question is rather, how can their services be secured, and, as with every profession, so in every line of business there is plenty of room at the top. Your problem is, how to get there. The answer is simple: conduct your business with just a little more ability than the average man in your line. If you are only above the average your success is secured, and the degree of success is in ratio to the greater degree of ability and attention which you give above the average. There are always a few in business who stand near the top, and, fortunately for the Cornell graduate, there are always an infinitely greater number near the bottom. And should you fail to ascend to the top the fault is not in your stars but in yourselves. Those who fail may say that this or that man had great advantages, the fates were propitious, the conditions favorable. Now there is very little in this; one man lands in the middle of a stream which he tries to jump and is swept away, and another tries the same feat and lands upon the other side."

The speaker cited the fact that the members of the present British cabinet were found to hold sixty-four directorships in various manufacturing and mining companies. The President of the French Republic had been a successful business man all his days. When the late Emperor of Germany wished to make the great steel manufacturer, Krupp, a prince, that business man begged the Emperor not to degrade him from the rank he held as king of steel.

A Blow at the Black List.

A Florida court has recently rendered a decision that touches directly the legality of the black list. A young man in that State resigned his position in a railroad company and accepted a better offer in another company. A few days afterward he was discharged for no apparent fault. On inquiry, he found that he had been black listed by the former company for leaving their service without giving the requisite notice. There was no other complaint. He was a faithful and competent man. But as long as his name was on the black list he could get no employment by any railroad in that State.

The man brought suit against the railroad company that had blacklisted him and obtained a judgment for large damages. The court held that such a proceeding was clearly illegal. The fact that it had become a common practice only made the abuse more outrageous. Under this decision every employe of a railroad company who leaves its service suddenly, as on a strike, and is placed on the black-list and for that that reason is prevented from obtaining employment elsewhere, has a good cause of action. No corporation can lawfully pursue a man because he has chosen to leave its employment. If the Florida decision stands, it may open the way for a great many persons to seek redress in the courts. Black-listing for once has been put under the ban.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH.

BREAKFAST

Wheatlet, Sugar and Cream, Fruit, Mutton Chops, Potato Scallop, Buckwheat Cakes, Coffee

DINNER

Tomato Soup, Roast Beef, Cranberry Sauce, Sweet and White Potatoes, Boiled Onions, Peas, Mayonnaise of Celery, Wafers, Cheese, Plum Pudding, Nuts, Apples, Raisins, Coffee

SUPPER

Deviled Crabs, Peanut Sandwiches, Cottage Cheese, Wafers, Chocolate

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

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On January 25 of the years named occurred the following events in the world's history:

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BIRTHS.

1627—Robert Boyle.
1674—Thomas Tanner.
1700—Paul Whitehead.
1770—Francis Burdett.
1759—Robert Burns.
1772—James Hogg.
1786—B. R. Haydon.
1811—Daniel Maclise.
1813—James Marion Sims, M. D.

DEATHS.

1823—William Shields.
1848—Jno. T. Norton, musician, Philadelphia.
1869—Francis W. Pickins, ex-Minister to Russia.
1870—Alfred Hennon, New Orleans.
1870—Fraulein Ida Pfeiffer, Berlin.
1870—Professor Ben. W. Dubley, M. D.
1872—Richard S. Ewell, ex-Confederate general, Tennessee.
1885—Com. George D. B. Glidden, Cambridge, Mass.
1886—David R. Atchison.
1892—Emperor Nicholas I.

OTHER EVENTS.

1327—King Edward II. deposed.
1502—Marriage of Princess Margaret to James IV of Scotland.
1830—Robert Hayne's great speech in defense of the "Foote Resolution."
1842—Battle of Hawe Creek.
1863—Organization of the First South Carolina Colored Loyal Volunteers.
1862—Major General Burnside relieved by Major General Hooker.
1866—Freedman Bureau bill passed the Senate.
1867—The Danish formally annexed to the German Confederation.
1867—The President vetoes the Colorado Admission Bill.
1869—Assassination of the Governor of Burgos by partisans of the Clerical party.
1870—Peabody funeral fleet arrives in Portland Harbor from England.
1871—Longway surrendered to the Germans.
1871—Statue of Lincoln in the rotunda of the Capitol unveiled.
1877—Justice David Davis of the United States Supreme Court elected United States Senator from Illinois.
1879—Bill providing for the payment of arrears of pensions signed by the President.
1882—Gulteau convicted of murder.
1885—Twenty persons injured in a railroad collision at Brussels.
1885—Liberty Bell arrives at New Orleans Exhibition.
1886—Disgraceful scenes in the Ohio Senate.
1886—The Athenians resolve to fight for Thessaly and Epirus.
1886—General Barillas elected President of Guatemala.
1887—Severe defeat of the Italian troops by Abyssinians near Massowah.
1887—Ex-Gov. W. B. Bate elected United States Senator from Tennessee.
1887—Female suffrage resolution defeated in the United States Senate.
1890—Nellie Bly completes trip around the world in seventy-three days.
1890—Pan-American delegates visited Baltimore.
1892—Gold bearing meteorite discovered, Calaveras, Cal.
1892—Message of President Harrison sent to Congress about Chilian affairs.
1892—Alice Mitchell murders Freda Ward.
1892—Chili withdrew the offensive note by Prime Minister Matta to United States and apologizes for Valparaiso riots.
1893—Princess Margaret married to Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse.
1894—Fifteen persons killed in a railroad wreck near Samara, Russia.
1894—The Cauca Valley, South America, was inundated, causing the most destructive flood in the century.

SHAKING THEM UP,

Regent Reinstein Is Making the Old Board Get Around.

THE STUDENTS LIKE HIM.

An Enterprising Berkeleyan Buys San Diego's Mummy.

CLASS ELECTIONS ARE ON.

A Laudable Crusade Against Cruelty to Animals Started.

BERKELEY, Jan. 25.—An interesting bit of gossip is being noised about among the students at the University. It has to do with Regent Reinstein and the rest of the Board of Regents. Some of the students say that the old members of the Board appear to thing Regent Reinstein just a little too energetic and about as headstrong as an alligator on the banks of the Nile.

Several of the Regents wanted Reinstein to postpone his improvements at the University until a more favorable time, but he would not hear to it. He said that if the Regents did not come over and become acquainted with the grounds he would have maps made and bring the grounds to them. It took about every minute during meetings for Reinstein to explain his maps and that is why they say he talks during seventy-five per cent of the time.

The students laugh and think it is a good joke on the Board. They say they were almost ignorant of the fact that there was a body called the Board of Regents until Budd appointed his old classmate and if he is shaking things up a little the board ought not to mind after its long sleep. For his energy the new Regent has won the admiration of the entire student body. He is cheered vociferously when addressing them and meets hearty approvals from them. It is said that "Josh" is going to have a nice little cartoon on the matter if it won't be considered as "joking the faculty."

A GIGANTIC FREAK.

Fred Ransom of Berkeley who eks out his livelihood as a deputy marshal, taxidermist and collector of curios has now won renown for himself in the college town by purchasing the eight foot four inch mummy found (or made) near San Diego last spring. The specimen was offered to the Smithsonian Institute after it was taken to Washington but the "profs" quibbled over the price and Rawson snapped it up. He is having a wagon built and as soon as his purchase arrives in May, will take it on a tour of the State. He expects to make a nice little sum in this way and is already the hero of the Berkeley small boy.

VALUABLE LECTURES.

The first of a series of six lectures arranged by E. B. Payne, pastor of the Unitarian church, took place in Stiles Hall last evening. Professor William H. Hudson of Stanford spoke on "Walt Whitman" before a large and appreciative audience. The remaining lectures are President David Starr Jordan of Stanford, Colonel Charles Greenleaf, Helen M. Cougar of Indianapolis, Rev. Myron W. Reed of Denver and Professor Charles Mills Gayley of the University of California. The lectures will occur at Stiles Hall on alternate Friday evenings.

CLASS ELECTIONS.

The Sophomore class met yesterday afternoon and elected officers as follows: President A. L. Dorn; first vice president, Percy M. Newhall, second vice president, Miss Boovard, secretary, A. C. Olney, treasurer, R. F. Hill, executive committee, Graham, Reeve, Thayer, Leggett and Miss Phelan.

No action was taken with regard to the Sophomore circus and thus it was indefinitely postponed. The "Sophs" think they will have their hands full with breaking up the Freshman Bourdon.

Next Wednesday the Seniors will hold their class election and a hard campaign is now being made.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

An evil day has come for the hard hearted men in Berkeley. Humane Officer May is hot on the trail of a man who carved his cow's tail. He has inserted the following in the daily papers:

"There have been several cases of cruelty to animals reported to the Berkeley Humane Society lately. One of the worst of these was cutting off a cow's tail and slashing the animal with a knife. In the same neighborhood there has been considerable poisoning done. Inoffensive pigeons and dogs have been tortured to death without any respect for the feelings or the rights of their masters. There is good reason for believing that the perpetrators of these dastardly crimes live between Berkeley and Lorin. A reward of $10 will be paid for evidence leading to conviction.

O. G. MAY."

A NEW STREET.

It is now possible to have a decent thoroughfare between Berkeley and Lorin. Mrs. Matthews has steadily refused to give up her land for this purpose and even took the matter into the courts to restrain the street superintendent. She has now dismissed her suit and the deed for the disputed land has been executed recorded and delivered. Mrs. Matthews has also deeded to the town a part of Calais street, which she claimed they had no right to dedicate for street purposes.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The Philosophical Union met last night in Professor Howison's lecture room, North hall. Professor Slate read a paper on "The Bearing of the Latest Developments of Physical Science upon the Relativity of Human Knowledge."

A portion of the University fence has been removed and the survey for the new walk is rapidly progressing.

The Crescent Athletic Club gave a dance and social at the club rooms last evening.

The committee appointed by the West Berkeley Progressive Club is hard at work interviewing leading citizens on the bond question.

Charley Gompertz has left for Books Inlet to superintend the erection of three canneries for the Pacific Steam Whaling Company.

Lieutenant Winn has offered to give the gun club ammunition free of charge if the members will practice with the military rifles occasionally.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

By the strangest coincidence three men met in the House restaurant at Washington the other day whose names were Wheat, Oates and Barley. They began to hunt around and found another man whose name was Rye. They had never met before and immediately cemented their ties of relationship by a liberal patronage of the bar. The only remarkable feature about the story is that it is true.

Hypnotism as a defence reduced a young Russian murderer's sentence to five years' imprisonment. She was an heiress of Varzin who had killed her father by slow poison under the influence of a hair dresser employed to massage her, who used an ointment that made her lost all control over herself. The experts testified that the girl was unusually susceptible to hypnotic influence naturally, and that the massage treatment renders even healthy persons undergoing it subject to such influence.

Of 224 persons treated for rabies by Pasteur's method at St. Petersburg last year only three died of hydrophobia; two of these deaths occurred during the treatment before the inoculation had had its full effect, the other was a patient brought in thirteen days after he was bitten. The rabid animals were 193 dogs, 18 wolves, 7 cats, 5 horses and 1 pig. At Odessa 95 persons were inoculated, the death rate being only one-third of one per cent. One case is recorded of a patient dying one year after inoculation. He had been severely bitten by a mad dog. The wounds were cauterized within three hours after their infliction, and was afterwards inoculated, but died of hydrophobia just a year after the inoculations.

Milk as a fire extinguisher was used with great success in Orrs Island, Me., a few days ago. A milkman of that place found his kitchen ablaze on returning home at night. He went to the well to draw water to throw on the flames, but in his excitement lost the bucket in the well. He then ran into the dairy and got a big can of milk and threw the contents on the flames, which had by this time gained good headway. He emptied can after can of milk on the fire, and eventually quenched it and saved his house. Now the neighbors are making ungenerous jokes about the effectiveness of the milk as a substitute for water.

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First Baptist church—Annual report, L. G. Burpee; address, Robert S. Boyns of the San Francisco Association.

First Methodist church Annual report, W. C. Barnard; address, H. J. McCoy, general secretary San Francisco Association.

Asbury M. E. church—Annual report, F. A. Jackson; address, Grove F. Ekins, general secretary Sacramento Association.

Chester Street M. E. church—Annual report E. S. Finch; address, J. P. Smith, general secretary Stockton Association.

Tenth Avenue Baptist church—Annual report Chas. Glunz, address, M. M. Meyers, Portland, Or.

English Lutheran church—Annual report A. T. Brock; address, D. Edward Collins, president Oakland Association.

Central Christian church—Annual report, W. E. Gibson; address, Lieut. Com. A. V. Wadhams of U. S. Monterey.

Market Street Congregational church—Annual report, F. F. Barbour; address, Rev. Dr. Chapman, pastor.

EVENING.

Eighth Avenue M. E. church—Annual report, F. A. Jackson; address, H. J. McCoy, general secretary San Francisco Association.

United Presbyterian church—Annual report, W. C. Barnard; address, J. P. Smith general secretary Stockton Association.

Fourth Congregational church—Annual report, C. F. Baker, address, Noel H. Jacks, general secretary Oakland Association.

Plymouth Avenue Congregational church—Annual report, W. E. Gibson; address, Grove F. Ekins, general secretary Sacramento Association.

Brooklyn Presbyterian church—Annual report, W. B. Fry; address, D. Edward Collins, president Oakland Association.

Pilgrim Congregational church—Annual report, F. F. Barbour; address, R. S. Boyns of the San Francisco Association.

First Christian church—Annual report, M. M. Meyers, Portland, Or.; address, Rev. James Small, pastor.

St. Stephen's Mission (Episcopal), Twenty-third avenue, Thomas' hall, East Fourteenth street, near Twenty-third avenue—Sunday school, 3 P. M. Even-song with sermon by the priest in charge 7:30 P. M. All welcome.

St. Paul's Episcopal, Fourteenth and Harrison, Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector—Harrison, Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector.

Brooklyn Presbyterian church, S. S. Palmer, pastor—Morning sermon, 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Brother of the Prodigal." Evening, 7:30. Y. M. C. A. anniversary. D. Edward Collins will give the address. One of Oakland's bankers will give some good advice.

First Methodist Episcopal church—At 11 A. M., Mr. H. J. McCoy will speak on behalf of the Y. M. C. A. of Oakland; in the evening at 7:30 Dr. Kummer will give the fourth sermon in his series on popular amusements. His theme will be "The Theater."

Asbury church, corner Clay and Fifteenth streets—Preaching at 11 A. M. Address in interest of Y. M. C. A. by general secretary Grove F. Ekins of Sacramento Association. Annual report read by Mr. F. A. Jackson of Oakland Association. At 7:30 P. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Nobility of Character." All are welcome to these services. H. M. McKnight, pastor.

First Baptist church, Rev. C. F. Hobart, pastor—Services 10:30 and 7:30. The morning service tomorrow will be in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Boyns of San Francisco speaking of Y. M. C. A. work. In the evening the pastor will discuss "Jonah and the Whale Story."

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran church, J. H. Theiss, pastor—Services at 10:15 A. M. Subject: "The Christian Living Peacefully With All Men." Services in Lorin hall at 8 P. M.

Swedish Mission church Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. In East Oakland Twenty-fourth Avenue M. E. church, Sunday school and Bible class at 3 P. M. Every one welcomed.

First Presbyterian church—Dr. Coyle will preach at 11 A. M. on "A Garden Without Water"; and at 7:30 P. M. on "Changing Gods; or, A Religious Controversy."

Theosophical society—Lecture by Mr. E. B. Jones of San Francisco. Subject: "Job's Choice." At the Theosophical library, Hamilton hall, at 8 P. M.

Pilgrim Congregational church Rev. M. Willett, pastor—Subject in the morning: "Virtue Imparted, and How." In the evening representatives from the Y. M. C. A. will deliver addresses.

Eighth Avenue M. E. church, S. J. Carroll, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. Subject: "How to Banish Trouble." Address by H. J. McCoy, secretary of the San Francisco Y. M. C. A., at 7:40 on "The Work of Young Men." Epworth League at 6:30.

Thirty-fourth Street Methodist church—The pastor, Rev. G. H. Jones, will preach both times. Subjects: Morning, "Quench Not the Spirit"; evening, "The Records." Epworth League at 6:45 P. M.

Tenth Avenue Baptist church, pastor, Rev. C. M. Hill—At 11, the seventeenth anniversary of the Oakland Y. M. C. A. will be observed. An address will be made by Mr. M. M. Meyers of Portland, Or. At 7:30, the pastor will preach. Subject: "Men and the Church."

Prospect Hill Presbyterian church, Fruitvale, Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor—Services, 11 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon: "Our Need of the Holy Spirit." Evening subject: "A Religion of Joy."

First English Lutheran church, corner Grove and Sixteenth streets, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, D. D., pastor—The anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. will be observed at 11 A. M., and Mr. A. T. Brock will read the seventeenth annual report. An appropriate address will be delivered by the president of the Oakland Association, Mr. D. Edward Collins. The pastor, Dr. Bushnell, will preach at 7:30. Subject: "Why Christ Wins." All welcome, and young men generally are especially invited to attend the anniversary service.

Plymouth Avenue Congregational church—The pastor will preach in the morning. Subject: "Jesus of Nazareth, Who Went About Doing Good." Evening, seventeenth anniversary of Oakland Y. M. C. A. Address by Grove F. Ekins, Sacramento, late of Knox college, Illinois.

First Universalist church—Services both morning and evening. Morning sermon by Rev. John Hughes. Subject: "In the Divine Economy There Is No Absolute Loss." Text: "The Son of Man is come to seek and save that which was lost." Luke, 19:10. Evening: Rev. Mrs. Kate Hughes will speak on "Progress in Religious Thought" from the text "And the Lord said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward." Ex., 14:15.

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THE COLORED HOME.

Reports and Resolutions at the Meeting of Directors.

At the annual meeting of the Home Association for Aged and Infirm Colored People which was held yesterday, at 781 Sixth street, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. A. F. Standford; first vice president, Mrs. H. E. Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Louisa Jackson; third vice president, Mrs. S. Goldstone, recording secretary, Mrs. L. S. Jackson; treasurer, Mrs. Alla Smith; financial secretary, Mrs. R. Leeks; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Thos. Pearson; banking committee, Mesdames J. H. Oliver, L. D. Gardener and M. Humphreys; auditors, Mrs. M. Williams, Miss Van Alstyne and Mrs. J. Holland.

Mrs. Thos. Pearson offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That in recognition of the kindness shown us by the Western Outlook, we declare the aforesaid "race" paper the official organ of this association."

Mrs. Louisa Jackson, ex-president of the association, presented the following, which was also unanimously carried:

"Resolved, That we deeply regret the annoyance to which Thos. Pearson has been subjected because of service rendered this association; and be it further

"Resolved, That we denounce the statements published in the San Francisco Elevator reflecting upon his integrity, as having been wilfully false and malicious."

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Dear Editor: Please inform your readers that if written to confidentially I will mail in a sealed letter, the plan pursued by which I was permanently restored to health and manly vigor, after years of suffering from Nervous Weakness, night losses and weak, shrunken parts.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Macdonough—"7-20-8."
Oakland—"Ten Thousand Miles Away."
California—"In Old Kentucky."
Columbia—"The Engineer."
Tivoli—"Ixion."
Morosco's—"A Man Without a Country."
Alcazar—"The Wolves of New York."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Ingleside Track—Races.

SATURDAY.....January 25, 1896.

The findings of the investigating committee on the charges of Lord Dunraven show that his complaints were groundless. He charged substantially that he had been tricked out of the race by members of the New York Yacht Club. He lost the race because his boat was not fast enough. Dunraven is an honorary member of the club. He must either make proper acknowledgements of his error or go out of the club.

Congressman Scranton of Pennsylvania has introduced a bill which gives Alaska the right to send a territorial delegate to be sent must be elected rights and privileges as other delegates. Alaska is an unorganized territory. It has no local legislature, although it has a Governor and a custom house. The delegate to be elected must be elected by the people. He would represent a small number of whites and a very large material interest.

Governor Greenhalge of Massachusetts has apparently changed his mind about woman suffrage. In his message a year ago he favored the extension of suffrage to women. This year he says the vote on the question at the recent election would seem to show that "public opinion will not for some time be prepared to accept any radical change in the established system of suffrage." The indifference shown by the very large majority of women was conclusive. If they don't want suffrage it will never be thrust upon them.

President Kruger's prisoners are described in a telegram from London, especially as to their financial character: "Among those arrested is Lionel Phillips, who is the registered holder of Rand shares to the amount of £1,250,000. Calculations based on knowledge of the properties of the other prisoners show that the total money value of the property liable to be confiscated is £14,000,000. The clemency shown by the Boers to Dr. Jameson and the other raiders is suspected to cover their intention to keep their grip on the better spoil. The fortune of Cecil Rhodes, the ex-Prime Minister of Cape Colony, is estimated at 17,000,000. Besides coming to England to defend the interests of the British South Africa Company, in which he is the ruling spirit, and of Dr. Jameson, Mr. Rhodes is concerned in a project for the purchase of Portugal of Delagoa Bay, East Africa, by an English syndicate."

An agent of the Free State of Congo has recently been in this country to secure the services of a few Americans. They are said to be secured under the offer of clerkships and offices. The pay is only $300 a year with expenses. A question has arisen whether the enlistment of these men under cover for military services is not a violation of treaty rights.

Minister De Ghalt of Belgium says that while it is true that an agent of the Congo Free State of the name of Lemarinel is in Washington to engage ten Americans for the administrative service of the Congo government, there is no ground for any assertion that any breach of neutrality has been committed or contemplated, and no truth in the statement that the Belgian government has any direct official connection with the matter. The Congo authorities prefer Americans to fill certain administrative clerkships and have naturally sent here for them. It is understood that Mr. Lemarinel, who has made no secret whatever of his mission to Washington, but on the contrary has courted publicity, has completed his engagements with the ten men needed and will accompany them to the Congo directly.

On the Upward Grade.

Wheat was sold yesterday in San Francisco for $1 13¾ a cental. That is the highest price it has touched in more than a year. It is comparatively a low price, but the upward tendency is strong. It may go a long way beyond the present figure. The Australian markets, according to recent reports, will take from California not less than 250,000 tons of wheat. A large wheat crop in California this year, with the old prices, would set a great many men on their feet who have been sliding down the grade for the last two years.

A report comes from Riverside that the damage to the orange crop in that vicinity is much greater than was first stated. Six hundred carloads of frosted oranges will be withheld from the market. This difference will hardly be perceptible in an aggregate of nearly or quite 10,000 carloads, according to the estimates that have recently been made. Riverside is the coldest district in the orange belt of Southern California. It suffered more than any other in the recent cold snap. According to the present outlook the citrus growers of California will receive more money for the present crop than was realized for any former season.

If the raisin men could have a lift one of the most important industries of the State would be greatly quickened. There is some prospect of a considerable advance in this product. It is reported that the dealers in New York are trying to make a corner in muscatels, and have been taking what offered, in evidence that the market is not bare. On the whole, there is a far better outlook for many staple products of California than there was two months ago.

Reminiscences of National Conventions.

The first National Convention was held in Baltimore in 1832, when Andrew Jackson was nominated. Before that time nominations were made either by caucuses of members of Congress, or by the Legislature. Sometimes they were made without any of these formalities. There was something like a general acclamation for some particular man. Washington, the Adamses, Jefferson, Madison and Monroe were all nominated outside of National Conventions.

Recently there has been something like a canvassing of lucky and unlucky places for holding conventions. Minneapolis, for instance, is not considered a fortunate place because the only Presidential candidate there was defeated. New York is not set down as a fortunate place because the only Democratic candidate nominated there was defeated. Charleston is out of favor because the Democratic convention held there on the eve of the civil war went all to pieces as it ought to have done. Douglas had the support of the Northern element and Breckinridge was supported by the Southern element. More candidates nominated in Baltimore have missed an election than those nominated in any other city.

Here is a list of the Democratic conventions, with the dates and places where they were held:

1832—May 12-13, Baltimore, A. Jackson.
1836—May 20-23, Baltimore, M. Van Buren.
1840—May 5-6, Baltimore, M. Van Buren.
1844—May 27-29, Baltimore, James K. Polk.
1848—May 22-26, Baltimore, Lewis Cass.
1852—June 1-5, Baltimore, Franklin Pierce.
1856—June 2-6, Cincinnati, James Buchanan.
1860—April 23-May 3, Charleston, no nomination.
1860—June 18-22, Baltimore, S. A. Douglas.
1860—June 22-23, Baltimore, J. C. Breckinridge.
1864—August 29-31, Chicago, G. B. McClellan.
1868—July 4-9, New York, H. Seymour.
1872—May 1-4, Cincinnati, Horace Greeley.
1872—July 9-10, Baltimore, Horace Greeley.
1876—June 27-29, St. Louis, S. J. Tilden.
1880—June 22-24, Cincinnati—W. S. Hancock.
1884—June 5-7, St. Louis, Grover Cleveland.
1884—July 8-10, Chicago, Grover Cleveland.
1892—June 21-23, Chicago, Grover Cleveland.
1896—July 7, Chicago.

In this list eleven of the candidates were defeated. Van Buren was once defeated and once elected. Cleveland was once defeated and once elected. His defeat resulted from the nomination made in 1888 at St. Louis. That has not been a fortunate city for Democratic nominations. However, it may be this year for the Republicans. The first National Republican Convention nominated John C. Fremont. Here is a list of the consecutive conventions up to date.

1856—June 17-19, Philadelphia, J. C. Fremont.
1860—May 16-18, Chicago, A. Lincoln.
1864—June 7-8, Baltimore, A. Lincoln.
1868—May 20-21, Chicago, U. S. Grant.
1872—Philadelphia—U. S. Grant.
1876—June 14-17, Cincinnati, R. B. Hayes.
1880—June 2-8, Chicago, J. A. Garfield.
1884—June 3-6, Chicago, J. G. Blaine.
1888—June 19-25, Chicago, B. Harrison.
1892—June 7-10, Minneapolis, B. Harrison.
1896—June 16, St. Louis.

There is nothing in these tables that would establish any theory that one city is more fortunate than another for nomination conventions, although Chicago is evidently the favorite city. Candidates have lost and won, not because the nomination was associated with any particular city, but because there was a temporary triumph or defeat of the political policy that was advocated.

Carnegie on Business Men.

Andrew Carnegie is a hard-headed business man whose talks about business have more than the usual interest because he is a successful man and lays down the lines of success for others. He recently delivered a discourse on business to the students of Cornell University. He laid down the proposition that no man is in business who simply works for a salary, not even a bank or railroad president.

"There is no great fortune to come from salary, however high, and the business man pursues fortune. If he be wise he puts all his eggs in one basket, and then watches that basket. If he is a merchant in coffee he attends to coffee; if a merchant in sugar, he attends to sugar, and lets coffee alone, and only mixes them when he drinks his coffee with sugar in it. If he mines coal and sell it, he attends to the black diamonds; if he owns and sails ships, he attends to shipping and ceases to insure his own ships just as soon as he has surplus capital and can stand the loss of one without imperiling his solvency; if he manufactures steel, he sticks to steel, and severely lets copper alone; if he mine ironstone, he sticks to that, and avoids every other kind of mining, silver and gold mining especially. This is because a man can thoroughly master only one business, and only if he be an able man can he do this. I have never yet met the man who fully understood two kinds of business; you cannot find him any sooner than you can find a man who can think in two languages equally and who does not invariably think only in one."

As a general proposition this statement may be true. And yet there are any number of instances where men have embarked in two or three kinds of business and have been successful in all. They did not put all their eggs in one basket. Men earning salaries, however large, seldom become rich. Neither do the majority of physicians and lawyers. In a large city some years ago a census was made of all the lawyers, consisting of about 300. A number had become rich. It was found that not one had become so through his professional receipts. He had invested a little money in real estate or some other growing business. The secret of success is briefly stated in this paragraph:

It is a simple matter of honest work, ability and concentration. There is no question about there being room at the top for the exceptional man in any profession. These have not to seek patronage; the question is rather, how can their services be secured, and, as with every profession, so in every line of business there is plenty of room at the top. Your problem is, how to get there. The answer is simple: conduct your business with just a little more ability than the average man in your line. If you are only above the average your success is secured, and the degree of success is in ratio to the greater degree of ability and attention which you give above the average. There are always a few in business who stand near the top, and, fortunately for the Cornell graduate, therefore always an infinitely greater number near the bottom. And should you fail to ascend to the top the fault is not in your stars but in yourselves. Those who fall may say that this or that man had great advantages, the fates were propitious, the conditions favorable. Now there is very little in this; one man lands in the middle of a stream which he tries to jump and is swept away, and another tries the same feat and lands upon the other side."

The speaker cited the fact that the members of the present British cabinet were found to hold sixty-four directorships in various manufacturing and mining companies. The President of the French Republic had been a successful business man all his days. When the late Emperor of Germany wished to make the great steel manufacturer, Krupp, a prince, that business man begged the Emperor not to degrade him from the rank he held as king of steel.

A Blow at the Black List.

A Florida court has recently rendered a decision that touches directly the legality of the black list. A young man in that State resigned his position in a railroad company and accepted a better offer in another company. A few days afterward he was discharged for no apparent fault. On inquiry, he found that he had been black listed by the former company for leaving their service without giving the requisite notice. There was no other complaint. He was a faithful and competent man. But as long as his name was on the black list he could get no employment by any railroad in that State.

The man brought suit against the railroad company that had blacklisted him and obtained a judgment for large damages. The court held that such a proceeding was clearly illegal. The fact that it had become a common practice only made the abuse more outrageous. Under this decision every employe of a railroad company who leaves its service suddenly, as on a strike, and is placed on the black-list and for that that reason is prevented from obtaining employment elsewhere, has a good cause of action. No corporation can lawfully pursue a man because he has chosen to leave its employment. If the Florida decision stands, it may open the way for a great many persons to seek redress in the courts. Black-listing for once has been put under the ban.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On January 25 of the years named occurred the following events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Juventinus, Appolo, Publius, Projectus, (or St. Priv), Poppo.

BIRTHS.

1627—Robert Boyle.
1674—Thomas Tanner.
1709—Paul Whitehead.
1770—Francis Burdett.
1759—Robert Burns.
1772—James Hogg.
1786—B. R. Haydon.
1811—Daniel Maclise.
1813—James Marion Sims, M. D.

DEATHS.

1829—William Shields.
1868—Jno. T. Norton, musician, Philadelphia.
1869—Francis W. Pickins, ex-Minister to Russia.
1870—Alfred Bonnon, New Orleans.
1870—Fraulein Ida Pfeiffer, Berlin.
1870—Professor Ben. W. Dubley, M. D.
1872—Richard S. Ewell, ex-Confederate general, Tennessee.
1888—Com. George D. B. Glidden, Cambridge, Mass.
1890—David R. Atchison.
1892—Emperor Nicholas I.

OTHER EVENTS.

1327—King Edward II. deposed.
1702—Marriage of Princess Margaret to James IV of Scotland.
1830—Robert Hayne's great speech in defense of the "Foote Resolution."
1842—Battle of Hawe Creek.
1863—Organization of the First South Carolina Colored Loyal Volunteers.
1863—Major General Burnside relieved by Major General Hooker.
1866—Freedman Bureau bill passed the Senate.
1867—The Danish formally annexed to the German Confederation.
1867—The President vetoes the Colorado Admission Bill.
1869—Assassination of the Governor of Burgos by partisans of the Clerical party.
1870—Peabody funeral fleet arrives in Portland Harbor from England.
1871—Longway surrendered to the Germans.
1871—Statue of Lincoln in the rotunda of the Capitol unveiled.
1877—Justice David Davis of the United States Supreme Court elected United States Senator from Illinois.
1879—Bill providing for the payment of arrears of pensions signed by the President.
1882—Guiteau convicted of murder.
1885—Twenty persons injured in a railroad collision at Brussels.
1885—Liberty Bell arrives at New Orleans Exhibition.
1886—Disgraceful scenes in the Ohio Senate.
1886—The Athenians resolve to fight for Thessaly and Epirus.
1886—General Barillas elected President of Guatemala.
1887—Severe defeat of the Italian troops by Abyssinians near Massowah.
1887—Ex-Gov. W. B. Bate elected United States Senator from Tennessee.
1887—Female suffrage resolution defeated in the United States Senate.
1890—Nellie Bly completes trip around the world in seventy-three days.
1890—Pan-American delegates visited Baltimore.
1892—Gold bearing meteorite discovered, Calaveras, Cal.
1892—Message of President Harrison sent to Congress about Chilian affairs.
1892—Alice Mitchell murders Freda Ward.
1892—Chili withdrew the offensive note by Prime Minister Matta to United States and apologizes for Valparaiso riots.
1893—Princess Margaret married to Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse.
1894—Fifteen persons killed in a railroad wreck near Sumnia, Russia.
1894—The Cauca Valley, South America was inundated causing the most destructive flood in the century.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH.

BREAKFAST

Wheatlet — Sugar and Cream
Fruit
Mutton Chops — Potato Scallop
Buckwheat Cakes — Coffee

DINNER

Tomato Soup
Roast Beef — Cranberry Sauce
Sweet and White Potatoes
Boiled Onions — Peas
Mayonnaise of Celery
Wafers — Cheese
Plum Pudding
Nuts — Apples — Raisins
Coffee

SUPPER

Deviled Crabs
Peanut Sandwiches
Cottage Cheese — Wafers — Chocolate

SHAKING THEM UP.

Regent Reinstein Is Making the Old Board Get Around.

THE STUDENTS LIKE HIM.

An Enterprising Berkeleyan Buys San Diego's Mummy.

CLASS ELECTIONS ARE ON.

A Laudable Crusade Against Cruelty to Animals Started.

BERKELEY, Jan 25.—An interesting bit of gossip is being noised about among the students at the University. It has to do with Regent Reinstein and the rest of the Board of Regents. Some of the students say that the old members of the Board appear to thing Regent Reinstein just a little too energetic and about as headstrong as an alligator on the banks of the Nile.

Several of the Regents wanted Reinstein to postpone his improvements at the University until a more favorable time, but he would not hear to it. He said that if the Regents did not come over and become acquainted with the grounds he would have maps made and bring the grounds to them. It took about every minute during meetings for Reinstein to explain his maps and that is why they say he talks during seventy-five per cent of the time.

The students laugh and think it is a good joke on the Board. They say they were almost ignorant of the fact that there was a body called the Board of Regents until Budd appointed his old classmate and if he is shaking things up a little the board ought not to mind after its long sleep. For his energy the new Regent has won the admiration of the entire student body. He is cheered vociferously when addressing them and meets hearty approvals from them. It is said that "Josh" is going to have a nice little cartoon on the matter if it won't be considered as "joking the faculty."

A GIGANTIC FREAK.

Fred Ransom of Berkeley who eke out his livelihood as a deputy marshal, taxidermist and collector of curios has now won renown for himself in the college town by purchasing the eight foot four inch mummy found (or made) near San Diego last spring. The specimen was offered to the Smithsonian Institute after it was taken to Washington but the "profs" quibbled over the price and Rawson snapped it up. He is having a wagon built and as soon as his purchase arrives in May, will take it on a tour of the State. He expects to make a nice little sum in this way and is already the hero of the Berkeley small boy.

VALUABLE LECTURES.

The first of a series of six lectures arranged by E. B. Payne, pastor of the Unitarian church, took place in Stiles Hall last evening. Professor William H. Hudson of Stanford spoke on "Walt Whitman" before a large and appreciative audience. The remaining lecturers are President David Starr Jordan of Stanford, Colonel Charles Greenleaf, Helen M. Cougar of Indianapolis, Rev. Myron W. Reed of Denver and Professor Charles Mills Gayley of the University of California. The lectures will occur at Stiles Hall on alternate Friday evenings.

CLASS ELECTIONS.

The Sophomore class met yesterday afternoon and elected officers as follows: President, A. L. Dorn; first vice president, Perry M. Newhall; second vice president, Miss Boswell; secretary, A. C. Olney; treasurer, R. F. Hill; executive committee, Graham, Reeve, Thayer, Leggett and Miss Phelan.

No action was taken with regard to the Sophomore circus and thus it was indefinitely postponed. The "Sophs" think they will have their hands "full with breaking up the Freshman Bourdon."

Next Wednesday the Seniors will hold their class election and a hard campaign is now being made.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

An evil day has come for the hard hearted men in Berkeley. Humane Officer May is hot on the trail of a man who carved his cow's tail. He has inserted the following in the daily papers:

"There have been several cases of cruelty to animals reported to the Berkeley Humane Society lately. One of the worst of these was cutting off a cow's tail and slashing the animal with a knife. In the same neighborhood there has been considerable poisoning done. Inoffensive pigeons and dogs have been tortured to death without any respect for the feelings or the rights of their masters. There is good reason for believing that the perpetrators of these dastardly crimes live between Berkeley and Lorin. A reward of $10 will be paid for evidence leading to conviction.

O. G. MAY."

A NEW STREET.

It is now possible to have a decent thoroughfare between Berkeley and Lorin. Mrs. Matthews has steadily refused to give up her land for this purpose and even took the matter into the courts to restrain the street superintendent. She has now dismissed her suit and the deed for the disputed land has been executed recorded and delivered. Mrs. Matthews has also deeded to the town a part of Calais street, which she claimed they had no right to dedicate for street purposes.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The Philosophical Union met last night in Professor Howison's lecture room, North hall. Professor Slate read a paper on "The Bearing of the Latest Developments of Physical Science upon the Relativity of Human Knowledge."

A portion of the University fence has been removed and the survey for the new walk is rapidly progressing.

The Crescent Athletic Club gave a dance and social at the club rooms last evening.

The committee appointed by the West Berkeley Progressive Club is hard at work interviewing leading citizens on the bond question.

Charley Gompertz has left for Books Inlet to superintend the erection of three canneries for the Pacific Steam Whaling Company.

Lieutenant Winn has offered to give the gun club ammunition free of charge if the members will practice with the military rifles occasionally.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

By the strangest coincidence three men met in the House restaurant at Washington the other day whose names were Wheat, Oates and Barley. They began to hunt around and found another man whose name was Rye. They had never met before and immediately cemented their ties of relationship by a liberal patronage of the bar. The only remarkable feature about the story is that it is true.

Hypnotism as a defence reduced a young Russian murderer's sentence to five years' imprisonment. She was an heiress of Varzin who had killed her father by slow poison under the influence of a hair dresser employed to massage her, who used an ointment that made her lost all control over herself. The experts testified that the girl was unusually susceptible to hypnotic influence naturally, and that the massage treatment renders even healthy persons undergoing it subject to such influence.

Of 224 persons treated for rabies by Pasteur's method at St. Petersburg last year only three died of hydrophobia; two of these deaths occurred during the treatment before the inoculation had had its full effect, the other was a patient brought in thirteen days after he was bitten. The rabid animals were 193 dogs, 18 wolves, 7 cats, 5 horses and 1 pig. At Odessa 95 persons were inoculated, the death rate being only one-third of one per cent. One case is recorded of a patient dying one year after inoculation. He had been severely bitten by a mad dog. The wounds were cauterized within three hours after their infliction, and was afterwards inoculated, but died of hydrophobia just a year after the inoculations.

Milk as a fire extinguisher was used with great success in Orrs Island, Me., a few days ago. A milkman of that place found his kitchen ablaze on returning home at night. He went to the well to draw water to throw on the flames, but in his excitement lost the bucket in the well. He then ran into the dairy and got a big can of milk and threw the contents on the flames, which had by this time gained good headway. He emptied can after can of milk on the fire, and eventually quenched it and saved his house. Now the neighbors are making ungenerous jokes about the effectiveness of the milk as a substitute for water.

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Reliance Night Scored by Long Odds the Success of the Week.

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"The Meddler" Chats Merrily of Doings of the Swell Set.

Home from the Macdonough, dear Tribune, and what a merry, jolly show it was, to be sure. It was like seeing your own family act in your own drawing room. And how we did applaud! Frost-bitten Oakland really awoke, rubbed its mist-filled eyes and inquired, "Where are we at?" Then we clapped, at first good-naturedly, then enthusiastically, at last rapturously. We always knew the Charity Company was a good thing, but somehow we never realized quite how good until we heard that Saturday night was to be the final one. However, we hope that this farewell may be like the famous Patti farewells, and that there may be always just one more.

I really think this was the chef d' œuvre of the company. "Rosedale" was good, but this was worked up charmingly and was really quite professional. There was nothing amateurish about the performance except the drop curtain. Who would have thought that the Macdonough curtain would rise to the occasion like that?

As a mark of appreciation the club presented the company with some magnificent floral tributes, and entre nous some of the members of the club (male) presented some of the members of the company (female) with exquisite flowers with a personal application. By the way, what do violets mean in the language of flowers that children know? Hasn't it something to do with the tender passion? It seems to me I have an echo in my brain somewhere. Miss Daisy Belle Sharp received two of the most stunning boquets of violets I have ever seen. All the other members were similarly remembered. Dainty Maud Morrell received exquisitely appropriate white hyacinths. Mrs. Ewing was lost under an artistic bunch of shaggy yellow chrysanthemums. Harry Thomas, I honestly believe, cabbaged one of the baskets of violets and early spring jonquils.

How did they play? Oh, as Shakespeare says, "excellently well." They did not mouth the words. Nobody was affected or stage struck. Everyone looked and acted their prettiest, and the result was a play so well-balanced and symmetrical as any amateur performance ever given in the land. The play, "7-20-8" is one of the Daly plays. Consequently its cleverness and dexterous plot goes without saying. It is full of amusing situations, not one of which was allowed to slip. Jack Wilson, our own handsome Jack, who is the same old boy in spite of the fact that he is a happy papa, was "Courtney Corliss." John Drew's old part. He took it very well. You know he is an admirable lover—devoted, tender, passionate. He jerked his mustache in much the Drew fashion, and if both his eyes were not straight he might look a little like the ugly, fascinating John.

Alex. Rosborough we saw in a new role. We fancied he could only be a minstrel or a clown, but he developed into an old gentleman comedian, with an admirable make-up, and a dressing gown like a bathrobe. Alex. was every bit as good as a professional, and in the headache scene fairly great.

Harry Thomas was "Paul Hollyhock," newly married. Poor Harry, how they did guy him. Not but what his acting was all right, for he was very clever, but every time he put his arm around his young wife, the one on the stage, not the one in the dress circle, everybody laughed. Harry blushed through his rouge, but kept his face straight. It was really excruciatingly funny. It reminded me of the way we guyed Phil Remillard in "Rosedale" when he said he didn't drink.

Frank Mathieu, who was the Leslie correspondent in Rosedale, was an Italian, late master of the ballet. His character work was really extremely clever and well-sustained. Everyone was astonished at the finish of it.

Harry Quinn was the postman, not as a diver. He had one effective scene with Miss Morrell.

Charlie Dickman as "Professor Gaslight" was as good as any professional in the part. His was a clever bit of character acting.

Mrs. J. Cal. Ewing was "Mrs. Hypatia Bargiss." Mrs. Ewing is a charming little actress and played her part with grace and dignity.

Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, as "Dora Hollyhock," looked perfectly charming in stunning gowns.

Miss Maud Morell had Ada Rehan's part, "Flos," a character which she played with the simplicity, grace and freedom so characteristic of her. Her condition was spirited, too, and she did the petulant scene to perfection. Miss Morrell certainly has the makings of a very excellent actress in her. We will watch her career with interest.

Edna Elsemere was the clever and pertinacious maid servant—she of the neat ankles and omnipresent feather duster.

The play went smoothly from the very beginning. They didn't have any prompter. Leo Cooper managed the stage and made a brief speech at the close of the third act.

And the house? It was very prettily and well-dressed. All the boxes were taken. Harry East Miller was host in one with Myra Prather and Miss Mhoon. James Moffitt and Florence Dunham were among his guests. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waldron and Miss Gaskill were in the adjoining box. They all looked very swell—hatless and in evening dress. After al it is by far the prettiest and most becoming. I was sorry I wore my hat, even if it was a new and very pretty one. All the girls in the Miller box wore nodding American Beauty roses, only they were too high to get the full effect.

George Uhl gave a theater party in the right-hand stage box. His guests were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Uhl, Miss Mabel Craft and Mr. Blake. Mrs. Uhl wore pale blue and was without a hat. Miss Craft wore grey silk and American Beauty roses.

The Strong girls and Mr. Townsend were in the next box. Miss Lillie Strong and Miss Georgie Strong wore white gowns and big black hats, a striking combination.

The audience was full of well-known people—all Oakland, it seemed to me. In the first row of the dress circle were Dr. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, P. M. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Craft, Miss Ethel Bates, Mrs. Fannie Merriman Thomas, radiant in pink and green, Charles Bates, Miss Kittredge, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Will Henshaw, Miss Ferrier, Judge and Mrs. Henshaw, Lieutenant and Mrs. Carmine, the latter in pale blue satin, Miss Rosa May, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Meehan, Miss Meehan, Miss Knowles, Mr. Phillips, Irving Lewis, Mrs. A. A. Moore, Miss Ethel Moore in a pink shirt waist, Al. Moore, the Pringles, Hart North, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell, Mr. McCormick, Phil Remillard, Ollie Vinzent, Miss Evelyn Remillard, the Misses Moffitt, Miss Mayne Merriman, Mr. Merriman, Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Merriman Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Rob Knight, Mrs. Chabot, Misses Josephine and Claire Chabot, Miss Mamie Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melvin, J. Cal. Ewing, the Misses Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Florinne Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Adams—these were a few of our crowd that I saw through my lorgnettes or shook hands with in the foyer. It was a very gay crowd. I do not think our set will be out in such full force tomorrow night, though I hear Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard is to give a large theater party. Mrs. Chabot's, I think, was the largest tonight.

After the play there were many petit soupers at the Maison l'Opera and at private houses. Harry Quinn's mother gave him a dinner before the play—he took part, you know. Among the guests were the Misses Strong.

Tomorrow night there will be a reception to Maud Morrell, who is going on the truly stage instead of the mimic one very soon. She is a sweet girl and we shall always have the warmest kind of interest in her.

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And now I suppose I must pick up the tangled thread of last week. Really, I don't know where I left off. Where was I? O, yes, at the Macdonough last Saturday night. It was all clever and more charity. I understand the Unitarians netted $400, which was more than they expected and good for one night. Everybody was very clever, and there were all sorts of impromptu jokes. There were so many encores that we didn't get home until Sunday morning, shocking, wasn't it? But, all for charity, you know. That's our excuses. Dr. George Pardee, Uncle George Bromley, Miss Kavanaugh and Alex Rosborough divided the honors, I thought. There can be no doubt about it—Dr. Pardee should have been a lawyer. After the performance, thirteen of the principal performers and members of the committee dined at the Maison l'Opera. It was a merry little supper and lasted far into the morning, and they say that Uncle George is superstitious about the number, thirteen, too.

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Miss Knowles' luncheon last Saturday was a charming affair. The table was bright and beautiful, with cut glass, silver and Perle du Jardin roses, and menu cards daintily formed of rose petals. Those at table were Mrs. Mark Requa, Mrs. Edson Adams, Misses Mary and Florence Dunham, Mrs. Harry Adams, Miss Mamie Knowles, Miss Hall, Miss Bertha Wilcox, Miss Amy McKee, Miss Alice Grimes and Miss Nellie Chabot.

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Mrs. Spiers of Berkeley gave a dinner to San Francisco people almost exclusively on Thursday evening. There were twelve guests and the decorations were hyacinths.

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Mrs. Mastick of Alameda gave a large card party tonight. All the Alameda contingent were there and were consequently missed from the Macdonough.

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The guests at the McNear dinner given recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear by Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr. were Miss Amy McKee, Miss Mae Tucker, Miss Ella Goodall, Gus McDonald, John McNear, Mr. Campbell, Miss Bessie McNear, Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear.

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Dr. E. H. Pardee is quite ill again. His condition is not so alarming as it was last summer, but still serious enough to cause his friends anxiety.

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The news that has saddened me this week was the death of Joe Pierce, formerly of Berkeley, now of Santa Barbara. Mr. Pierce was the magnificent fellow who used to play center on the football team. He was a superb specimen of physical manhood, a Chi Phi, a thoroughly good fellow, and one of the most popular men in the University. His death was terribly sudden—a few days of tonsilitis. All Santa Barbara mourns, and a great many hearts in other places as well. Joe was a dear, good boy, and so bright and merry that no one could help loving him. The students lovingly called him "Our Joe." Well, he is still "Our Joe." He was betrothed to Miss Helen Cashman of Alameda, and the wedding was to have taken place soon. Miss Cashman has gone to Santa Barbara.

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At Miss Howard's dinner, given before the Bachelors' and Benedicts' cotillion, the other evening, the following were present: Miss Marie Rose Dean, Miss Jessie Glascock, Miss Nina Pringle, Ned Pringle, Fred Magee, Harry Miller, Maud and Karl Howard.

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The Hopkins Art Association is to give a Mardi Gras ball in the beautiful Hopkins house on Shrove Tuesday, February 18th. It will be the last big society event before Lent. There will be many guests from this side of the bay. As a spectacle, it will be well worth seeing. The ladies are to be masked and in dominoes or fancy dress. The gentlemen will not mask. Dancing on the polished floors of the Hopkins house is simply a dream.

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At the dance this week of the Monday Evening Dancing club, the following Oaklanders were present: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Magee, Miss Jessie Glascock, Messrs Hoffman and Alf Clement. The Magees and F. A. Greenwood were at the Tobin dinner, which preceded the dance.

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The engagement of Miss Julia Lombard, Berkeley's pretty and petite brunette, to S. H. Perkins, who is the San Francisco agent of the Santa Fe, is announced.

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Jim Toler has returned from a three weeks' trip in the southern part of the State. He has decided to permanently establish his concert studio in this city, at 546 Albion street, where he can be found every day but Friday, when he is at his studio at 841 Post street, San Francisco. Mr. Toler is making a deserved success with his voice culture lessons. He is an accomplished musician in every way and his pupils are making rapid progress.

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On Thursday night the Alameda Married People's Protective Association gave a dinner at Harmonie hall, Alameda. All the Tisdales, Tillers, Morrises, Plummers and Clays were there.

The next party will be a leap year affair on February 13th.

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The Saturday Morning Orchestra will give a concert before Lent, February 17th is the date set, and this time the orchestra that has drawn the bow and fingered the strings so many times for charity will play for its own benefit. They want a fund for music and instruction. The concert is under Mrs. Wright's direction, which means it will be quite as charming as heretofore. They have chosen a gloomy old building—Metropolitan hall. It is big, but is a resting place for all the "isms" and long haired ideas of our rattle brained humanity. It isn't half fresh and clean enough for these young girls.

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The engagement is announced across the bay of Miss Leah Gust to Ignatz Lowengart. Miss Gerst has quite as many friends outside as inside Jewish circles. She is a lovely girl, the oldest child of a charming family. Her father and mother are Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Gerst of Pierce and McAllister streets, and her grandfather A. Anspacher, who is called "Old Man Benevolent." The engagement receptions will be held next Tuesday and Thursday, and the wedding will be a grand affair.

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Mrs. J. C. Hampton gave a tea today. She was assisted in receiving by Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Lillian Strong, Miss Mamie Baker, Miss Carrie Ritter, Miss Edith Browne of Alameda and Miss Helene Bell.

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The wedding of Dr. Edwin Reese and Miss Lelia Hatch took place at the home of the bride in Berkeley on Thursday evening, and was a quiet affair. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. H. Hatch of the Berkeley Congregational church. The groom is a graduate of the Cooper Medical College, and will practice at Ukiah, Mendocino county, whither the couple went after the wedding.

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Mrs. George Fountain has been visiting her sister, Miss Nora Andrews, at Woodland.

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A leap year party was given to Miss Ayden at her residence on Felger avenue, Golden Gate, on Saturday evening. Those present were: Miss Jackson, Miss McLellan, Miss Doyle, Miss Abbott, Miss Lugg, Miss McMenomy, Miss Flanagan, Miss Wood, Miss Ilsge, Miss Smith, Miss Storey, Miss Robertson, Miss Hill, Miss Jennings, Miss Kethen, Miss Kane, Miss Young, Miss McDonald, Miss Reader, Miss McPhee, Miss T. Doyle, Miss E. McLellan, Miss A. Kane, Miss M. Storm, Miss Hampton, Messrs. Sullivan, Flanagan, McLellan, Lobenshelmer, Bardin, McDonald, Harrington, McManus, Wood, Lugg, Armstrong, Kane, Gregory, Smith, Young, Murphy, McMenomy, Beeman, Niedt, Kaskens, Ayden, Abbott, Norwood, Dr. Murray, Mr. Hill, C. McDonald.

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Mrs. A. J. Ralston and Coralie Selby left for Louisville, Ky., on a visit. On their return they will bring back Clare Ralston, who has been visiting there so long.

Dear Tribune, it's a tired and sleepy girl now. The rain is pouring down, but all the players and all the merry-makers are safely housed by this time, so it is all right.

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Mrs. Gordon Stolp entertained the Wheelock Whist Club at her home on last Thursday afternoon. Despite the stormy weather most of the members were present and some scientific playing was indulged in. Among those present were Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. Fred Stratton, Mrs. Kittredge, Mrs. Chas. Holt, Mrs. W. H. Chickering, Mrs. Fine, Mrs. Frank Kendall, Mrs. Sather, Mrs. Gorrill and Mrs. T. L. Barker.

THE KNOWLES LUNCHEON.

Miss Mattie Knowles gave a pretty luncheon last Wednesday at her home on Jackson street. The decorations were extremely pretty and a merry gathering assembled. Many of those present were old schoolmates who have known each other for years. It was therefore a congenial crowd. Among others present were Miss Mary Dunham, Mrs. Mark Requa, Miss Spier of Berkeley, Miss Kate Spier, Mrs. Harry Adams, Miss Lizzie Watt, Miss Allie Grimes, Miss Hattie Hall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Bertha Wilcox, Miss Amy McKee and Mrs. Edson Adams.

THE HAMPTON AT HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton gave the first of their afternoons "at home" yesterday. The decorations of smilax and red carnations were tastefully arranged. They were assisted by several members of the "Club of Thirteen."

Among those present were Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Currier, Mrs. Fred Knight, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. McCone, Mrs. McKay, the Misses Eva Knight, Lemmon, Rawlings, Simmons, English, Mahoney, Millard, Stevenson, Knight, Howard, Bennett, Stull, Connors, Holt, Kent, Currier, Channell, Burrell and others. Those who assisted in receiving the guests were Miss Lillian Strong, Miss Brown, Miss Craig, Miss Mamie Barker, Carolyn Ritter, Miss Marledna Snell and Miss Whitney.

THE CRAIG CARD PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig gave a card party this week at their beautiful new home on Lake street. It was a gathering of the Knight Templar Social Club, and of course a delightful affair. Over fifty players sat at the tables playing six-handed euchre. After the game the guests were hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Craig.

Following are a few of those who enjoyed the evening: Mr. and Mrs. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Gaskill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. Smillie of Berkeley.

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

Miss Louise Simmons gave a luncheon to the "Unlucky Thirteen Club," at the home of John T. Wright, 1313 Madison street, one evening this week. It was a pink luncheon and very pretty in its effect.

All of the members of the club were present excepting Coralie Selby, including Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Marguerite Knight, Miss Helen Lohman, Marguerite Joliffe, Grace Holt, Ethel Kittredge, Emma Mahoney, Lillian Strong, Carrie Ritter, Laura Crellin, Mona Crellin and Gail Converse.

THE CARR-BEEL CONCERTS.

The first of the new series of the Carr-Beel Saturday Popular concerts will be given in Golden Gate Hall, San Francisco, on February 8th. This is the fifth year since these concerts were started. They have made a record unparalleled in the musical world of San Francisco. The prospects for the coming series are encouraging.

The first programme will comprise Mozart's beautiful quintette for clarinet and stringed instruments, Godard's piano trio in F., and some short pieces for clarinet and piano by Nells Gade. This will be the first time for the latter to be played on the coast.

AN ANNIVERSARY SUPPER.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the East Oakland Presbyterian Church, celebrated its tenth anniversary last night. The parlors of the church were prettily decorated with green and in the center of the room was set a large table. Around it sat the many guests while a most delicious supper was served. It evidently was not a night of fasting with the young Christians. Stories and anecdotes were told, jokes were cracked with the nuts and on the whole the young people had a most enjoyable time. Addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Palmer, Miss Pierce, Mr. Lowell and other prominent members of the church. It was a reception to the charter members who first organized the society and they had reason to rejoice at this birthday of the organization. Ten years ago the club was formed and since that time it has grown steadily until it has attained its prosperous and vigorous condition. It is one of the strongest organizations of its kind in the city, and boasts of a large membership.

Following are those who belong to the society, most of whom were present at the supper last evening:

H. W. McDonald, Mary E. Pierce, A. G. Stuart, Sadie J. Dewing, Mrs. McDonald, Gertrude Sherbourne, Wilbur Walker, Lizzie C. Luth, Lucy Vrooman, Carrie L. Gardner, William J. Gardner, Sarah Vrooman, Mrs. A. G. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stuart, Edith Robinson, Hattie E. Capell, Clara O. Pierce, C. H. Merithew, Mrs. Hattie Merithew, Eva Morgerson, Annie Brewer, G. A. Brewer, Edith Lang, Alice L. Osburn, W. H. Brewer, George P. Lowell, Mrs. L. M. Lowell, Florence B. Lovett, C. A. McCracken, F. L. Voorhies, Lucia Wallace, Robert Grubb, Eva Peabody, Mabel Daly, Miss Emma and Maggie McDonald, Harrie Brown, Mr. Hobson, W. H. H. Hamilton, Mr. Palmer, Carrie McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Granger, Edgar Alexander, Jennie Wheaton, Millicent Wheaton, James Sutherland, Kate Wolfenden, James Wolfenden, Edith Wade, A. C. Platt, Edith Alexander, Frank Alexander, Miss Dodge, Miss W. Hussey, May Smith, L. Kemp, Mattie Boop, Walter Hussey, Dr. and Mrs. N. N. Chamberlain, Annie Fox, Blanche Woodward, Sadie Storey, Gertrude Thayer, Mabel Thayer, Bessie Crane, May Watson, Dolly Summer, Ralph Summer, Miss Stuntevant, Mr. Voss, Miss Read, Misses Bessie and Alice O'Neil, Magdalene Blanchart, Annie Hobson, Minnie Sutherland, Pierson Morehouse, Nesbit Kemp, Chester McClain and William Watson.

THE UNDERGROUND SOCIAL CLUB.

A short time ago a party of young Oaklanders organized a club which they called the "Underground Social Club," for social and literary purposes. Their club rooms are at 456 Seventh street. Meetings are held two or three nights a week and the time is enjoyably spent. Members of the club are welcomed and made "at home" at all hours.

Several pleasant smokers have already been given and a club run is contemplated. For this latter event a fund is being raised. The membership is limited to twelve.

Following are the officers: President, O. M. Peck; vice president, H. P. Pangburn, secretary and steward, Mr. Kelly; treasurer, A. B. Durrell; sergeant at arms, George Phillips. The members are Charles Beck, Ed Davis, Harry Lewis, Frank Woodbridge and K. Chamberlain.

Visitors are admitted only by visiting cards which may be had from the president.

A RECEPTION.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. P. Mitchell, gave a reception at their residence on Fruitvale avenue last night, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Doig. The parlors were prettily decorated for the occasion. After the dinner had been served, music and social intercourse was indulged in until a late hour. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. P. Mitchell, Mrs. Melville, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Millar, Mr. and Mrs. A. Doig, Mrs. Pettit, Miss Pettit, Miss L. Rutherford, Miss Margaret Rutherford, Messrs. William Doig, William Ford, Peter Ford, Angus Martin, J. Y. Millar Jr., Alex. Mitchell, John Mitchell, Douglas Melville, Arthur Mitchell, Mary Melville, Peruana Pettit, Minnie Pettit, Clara Snow.

THE DURGIN BIRTHDAY.

One of the prettiest parties of the winter among the juvenile set, was that given by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Durgin, in honor of the third birthday of their daughter Mina. Notwithstanding the unpleasant weather seventeen of the tiny guests invited were present. The little tots were daintily attired in prettily colored dresses, producing a pleasing effect as they gathered together. After enjoying an hour of music and games each guest was presented with a souvenir cap. Then, led by their hostess they marched around the parlor and out into the dining room. The table was spread with dainties the young mouths could appreciate.

Miss Durgin received many valuable birthday presents, which in years to come will be highly valued. Among those present were: Lawrence Rankin, Melvin Harland, Willie Hartz, Paul and Josephine Schaffer, Fern Golden, Laura Corlett, Lelia and Alan Barlow, Wilford Crowell, Mabel and Louise Casavant, Edna Caro and Joel Scoby.

A FRATERNITY BALL.

The Lamba Theta Phi Fraternity of the Oakland High School gives a ball at Masonic Temple tonight. The fraternity is composed exclusively of girls, who are enterprising enough to undertake to give a large ball. Miss Zena West is at the head of the affair and with Walter Dayton will lead the German.

The others to be in the first set are Ruth Wilder and George Cuppy, Amy Phelan and Arthur North, Alma Brown and Ray Burrell, Ethel Whitney and Will Olney, Agnes Borland and Arthur Brown, Mamie Kent and W. Creed.

MEN'S LEAGUE SOCIAL.

The Men's League of the Brooklyn Presbyterian church, East Oakland, gave a reception to their friends last Friday evening. The social was entirely under the direction of the gentlemen of the church. The ladies, according to Rev. Mr. Palmer, having nothing to do but to go and enjoy themselves without a thought of cake to cut or dishes to wash.

A fine programme had been prepared and lavish arrangements for refreshments were made, but the storm rendered it impossible for many to be present. However those who were there had a royal good time. The orchestra rendered a fine selection, W. R. Evans gave a humorous recital, which was fully appreciated, and Mrs. Dodge favored the company with a vocal solo. The others on the programme were not present.

"The next order," to once more quote Mr. Palmer, "was the serving of refreshments, which certainly bore the distinction of being out of the ordinary, but this added zest to the appetites and the gentlemen had the satisfaction of perceiving that their efforts in this direction were a success."

THE MORCK SOCIAL.

A very pleasant social was given last Saturday evening at the residence of Mrs. Morck on Twenty-first street near San Pablo avenue in honor of Miss Carrie Morck. A very interesting little programme, consisting of literary exercises and music was rendered. After lunch games were indulged in until nearly 12 o'clock. The friends present were:

Miss Maggie Scott, Miss Minnie Lebrecht, Miss Johanna Vockel, Miss Stella Lufkin, Miss Ella Jennings, Mr. Theodore Jennies, Mr. Frank Lewis, Mr. F. E. Madden, Mr. T. L. Madden, Mr. Harry Bennett, Mr. W. S. Smith, Mr. L. Lufkin, Mr. A. Manning, Mr. F. Manning, Mr. W. Young, Messrs. Frank and Fred Jennings, Mr. Morck and Master Leonard Morck.

SYMPHONY CONCERTS.

The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, the recently organized musical society, has arranged for a series of semi-popular and symphony concerts to be given on Friday afternoons in Golden Gate Hall, 625 Sutter street, San Francisco. This organization is composed of some of the best professional musical talent on the coast. Many of the members are soloists of note on their respective instruments, some belonged to Scheel's orchestra and not a few have figured in Eastern concerts—James Hamilton Howe, the conductor, is well known in this city and throughout the East for his executive ability and mu-

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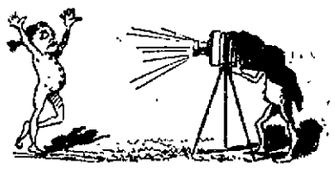

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SOCIETY NEWS

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sical talent. Bernhard Mollenhauer, the concert master, is also well known in musical circles. He is from New York, coming to this coast three years ago. Since that time he has done much to advance the musical interests of San Francisco. He is without a peer in this section as a violin soloist.

One symphony concert will be given each month and the remaining Fridays devoted to the popular concerts. The plan pursued by this society will be similar to that of the Boston Symphony, under Henschel and Gericke, and the New York orchestras under Seidl and Damrosch. The programme will be arranged to suit the varied tastes but Wagner's works will receive especial attention.

The following list of prominent soloists, coupled with the names of those in charge, assures the success of the entertainments.

Nathan Landsberger, Mr. Mollenhauer, Louis Von der Mehden, violin cellist: A. Paulsen, flute; C. H. Dickman, oboe; E. W. Kent, clarionet; J. Mundweiler, bassoon; O. Schlott, French horn; W. H. Sollverd, trombone; C. Mittner, L. Lada, F. Hess, A. F. Johannesen, K. Baumgartel, M. R. Fleischman, H. Sasman, G. Rowan, G. Selo, C. Schurnstein, T. Stifelt, L. Chapuy, R. Patek, F. Angustein, A. Minos, C. Gerlich, B. Johannesen, E. L. Clapp, H. Arf, K. Olmo, C. Schuppert, R. L. Merritt, H. Zoberbier, L. M. Ramsey, G. W. Loyde, E. Keller, G. Guttman, W. Delany, H. Overbeck, D. M. Wright.

THE MITCHELL WHIST PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell gave a progressive whist party at their home in Alameda last Friday evening.

Frank Otis won the first gentleman's prize, a silver shaving mug; and Mrs. Clarence Smith won the first lady's prize, a writing portfolio. H. T. Lally won the gentleman's booby prize, an imitation prayer book containing a pack of cards and counters; and Miss Kent of Oakland won the lady's booby prize, a set of ivory whist counters. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Dillman, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wiggin, Mr. and Mrs. Hawxhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Lally, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mastick, Mrs. Jerome Day, Mr. and Mrs. Clay, Mrs. McInern, Mr. and Mrs. Odell, Mr. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Marquis, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Lufkin, Miss Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Otis, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Outcalt, Miss Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelly, Miss Foye, Mr. and Mrs. Valleau, Mrs. E. A. Smith and Captain Morse.

SCOTCHMEN CELEBRATE.

St. Andrew's Society celebrated the 137th anniversary of Robert Burns' birth by an entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Wednesday evening. The auditorium was crowded with patriotic Scotchmen who applauded vigorously the popular songs of their native land.

DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY.

Oakland Council No. 3, Daughters of Liberty, gave an informal social and dance at Upper Hamilton Hall last Monday evening. An impromptu programme was rendered, including recitations by Miss Helen Buteau and Miss Cooper. Members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. were present and everyone seemed to partake of the spirit of sociability which reigned, until a late hour.

The next regular meeting of the council will be held in Fraternal Hall on Wasaington street, on Friday evening, January 31st, at 8 o'clock. It is proposed to make these informal socials a feature after the regular business of the meeting is over, and members of the junior order are invited to be present. Only the American born are eligible for membership and it is hoped to build up a congenial body of people and cultivate fraternity and mutual improvement.

Y. M. I. REUNION.

Councils 6, 8 and 31, Y. M. I., had an enjoyable reunion in their hall last Tuesday evening. The room was prettily decorated with greens and flowers. A sumptuous banquet was served to which 120 members sat down. Toasts were drank and after supper a short programme was rendered. Toast Master R. H. Hammond made a welcoming address and introduced Grand President Lynch, who responded to the toast, "Our Order."

Following is the order of the evening: Toast, "Our Country's Flag," McGlynn, president of No. 35, San Francisco; song, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," M. A. McInnis, president of No. 31; toast, "Spiritual Guides and Protectors," Rev. Father Histin; recitation, Frank McGlynn; toast, "Fraternity," Joseph Kenney, No. 8; specialties, Joseph Healy, No. 8, toast, "Y. M. I. in Alameda County," James S. Carey, No. 31; song, Mr. Allen; toast, "The Ladies," John Connolly, No. 8. The programme concluded by the singing of "America," by all present.

JOURNEYMAN BUTCHERS' BALL.

The ball given by Oakland branch No. 2, Journeymen Butchers, at Germania Hall, Wednesday evening, was a great success. It was the occasion of the fifth anniversary of the lodge and was unusually elaborate and select on that account.

All the extra dances were leap year dances, the young ladies having the privileges. Much fun was occasioned by this, which was a fitting climax to the pleasantry of the entire evening.

Following are those who had charge: Committee of arrangements: Chairman, James Stephens; Frank Fennon, George T. Loher, Gus Roemer, William Rettig.

Reception Committee: George Warren, William Such, William Wilkenson, Emmet Fryc, A. L. Hamilton, Charles Miller.

Floor Committee: Floor managers, Joe Pickford, Joe Stutt, Charles Ohme, Fred Knott, J. J. Douglas, F. B. Bartels.

AN ENGAGEMENT RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Happ gave a pleasant reception to their daughter Becky last Sunday, at their home, 851 Adeline street. It was given in celebration of Miss Happ's engagement to Mr. Gold.

The afternoon and evening were enjoyably spent in dancing before which a short musical and literary programme was rendered.

Racy Harris gave a well chosen recitation, as did also Miss Hersch and Miss Bernstein. Miss Silverstein and Miss Elias favored the company with a piano duet. The young couple were showered with congratulations and best wishes. The date of the wedding is not yet set.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. Hersch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. L. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, the Misses Cohn, Miss Beahr, Mr. and Mrs. Bear, Mr. and Mrs. Elias, the Misses S. and E. Elias, Leo and Etta Silverstein, Mrs. Flotow, Ray and Edward Flotow, Mr. and Mrs. Bremler, Mr. Bernstein, Robert Friedlander, Blanch Hersch, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Racy Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Cigurdt.

COMPANY A BALL.

Company A, Fifth Infantry, N. G. C., is busy making preparations for its first ball of 1896. This will be given on Wednesday evening next at Armory Hall. The members are working hard and success seems assured. The balls given by this company in the past have always proved most popular and entertaining. The one on Wednesday promises to even eclipse these former attempts.

The hall will be prettily decorated and refreshments served. Music will be furnished by the Fifth Infantry Band and the evening spent in dancing.

THE GALINDO SOCIAL.

The guests of the Galindo hotel gave their third monthly social and concert in the hotel building last night. The halls and stairway were prettily and copiously decorated for the event. The banisters on either side were covered with large sprays of greens freshly cut and fragrant. The walls of the hall were similarly bedecked. In addition to this, large, handsome Japanese and fancy palms, umbrella plants and other potted plants were artistically placed about the spacious building. In the dining room, where the dancing was enjoyed, the same care and taste was displayed. The red carpet and green trimmings blended well together, making the house a veritable bower.

After an excellent musical programme the dining room was cleared for dancing. There were twelve dances, with three extras, which occupied the entire evening and also a portion of the morning hours. The entire affair was a great success. A large gathering was present, and all enjoyed themselves, everything passing off smoothly under able management.

Following are those who had charge:

Committee of Arrangements — Ugo Talbo, F. B. Woodhouse, F. E. Atkinson, Mrs. F. G. Beckett, Mrs. F. B. Woodhouse, Mrs T. G. Duncan.

Floor directors—A. Chamberlain, T. G. Duncan.

Floor committee—J. A. Nolan, H. M. Jamison, A. Karlson, H. C. Knapp, H. C. Bilger, E. E. Laymance.

Reception committee—B. C. Weir, A. Hilson, J. W. Laymance, Thos. J. Bradly, C. W. Gallagher, F. A. Saunders, William J. Laymance, Harry H. Seawell, Mrs. M. C. Robinson, Mrs. J. W. Lyall, Mrs. A. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. F. M. Cosgrove, Mrs. G. D. Wright, Mrs. A. Hilson, Miss M. Atkinson, Miss M. Wynne.

Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray, Dr. and Mrs. Fearn, Dr. F. E. McCullough and ladies, Mrs. F. G. Becket, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Duncan, Mrs. M. C. Robinson, Mrs. E. M. Laymance, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyall, Mr. and Mrs. A. Yale, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Standing, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Woodhouse, Mrs F. Vandercook, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. M. Jacobs, Mrs. P. Bernett, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Mrs and Mrs. O. M. Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dey, Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Todd, Mrs. A. A. Salto, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Webb, Mrs. B. F. Cummings, Mrs. G. P. White, Mrs. M. J. LeNoir, Mrs. J. F. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson, Mrs. L. F. Blackburn, Mrs. Frank Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cosgrove, Mr and Mrs. A. Hilson, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Coap, Mr and Mrs. B. C. Weir, Mrs. L. J. Haskell, Mrs. Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs S. A. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cohen, Mr and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. O. T. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William S. J Stephens, Mr. and Mrs S. J. Snow, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stanley, Mr and Mrs. A. M. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gronenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Kukem, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schow, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. E. Howard, Dr. and Mrs Kukein, Mesdames S. H. Pargons, A. Abrahamson, R. C. Myrick, L. Blackburn, Y. W. Cohen, Hoxie, G. R. Sharpe, E. Nadams, S. A. Dockard, B. C. Weis, Lillian Reardon, D Levin, H. Jones, H. A. Chapman, L. Haskell, Lucella Haskell, M. J. LeNoir, Mrs. Lathrop, Mr. and Mrs. Bulencamp, Mrs. A. Keating, Mrs. W. M. Kary, Mrs. Geo. S. Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Storey, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs Hickman.

Misses Mabel Alderson, Carrie Montgomery, Edith Snow, Belle Wyte, E. Levin, Ella Flynn, Maud Tooby, Mary Reardon, Annie H. Larsen, Dollie Sheiz, Maud Gwynne, Pearl Hickman, Clara Reese, May Gooble, Madge Summers, Lyda Whelan, Nellie Whelan, Bessie Lynch, K. Bennett, S. Sharp, Leaha Falk, May Moss, Lillian Fleming, Sophie Leipsic, Rosa Morris, H. Lippman, Edythe Hutchins, Annie Andrews, A. Andrews, Annie Kink, Rete Waltenbaugh, Neata Melburtz, Julian Benson, Sadie Myrick, Louisa Wiedersheim, Nellie Sohst, Emma Gallagher, Minnie Spalhawk, Gussie Arp, Ella Good, Anna Good, Maud Nelson, Teresa Dohl, Tiny Wells, Ione Van Noy, Emma Wells, Ida Harris, Lottie Pearce, Annie Davis, L. Eggis, Emily Dixon, Kate Comstock, Gertrude Bernett, Gretchen Bernett, Agnes Farley, Maud Tooy, Flora Fraser, Ray Hilison, E. Crist, Edith Titus, Nettie Morris, Rose Morris, Amy Soule, Minnie Atkinson, Mary Wyrme, LeNoir, Imogene Lyal, Leo Falk, Annie Kennedy, Minnie Alves, George Manson, Daisy Strong, Elsie Thomas, Bergis, Annie McCall.

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Much of the success of the affair is due to Mrs. M. S. Robinson, the proprietress of the Galindo.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Misses Audiffred are entertaining Miss Belle McArthur of Woodside and Miss A. Shelley of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faulkner have gone to Portland to remain until the middle of February.

Attorney J. H. Lucas will move to Mariposa shortly to practice his profession.

Mrs. Sumner Hughes, who is in Pasadena, is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

Mrs. F. C. Watson is suffering from a slight indisposition.

Bert Brayton, who has been threatened with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Irving Lewis has issued invitations for a card party to be given in honor of her sister, Mrs. Giles Easton, who is expected from the East next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George De Golla gave a dinner party to six, Thursday evening.

On February 8th the Deux Temps will give a leap year party to be the last dance of the season. There was no first set in the German last Saturday for the first time since the organization of the club. The whole assembly was a first set led by Dwight Hutchinson and Robert Ayers.

The Fortnightly Club met as usual last night. It was an assembly, no German being danced.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Emigh will receive their friends on the 1st and 3d Wednesdays of each month, at their residence, 557 Albion street.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig will give a party at their Lake street home, next Wednesday. On their silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Craig were given a silver salad bowl by the "Field and Home" staff of Brown, Craig & Co. The staff was promised that they should be the first to use the bowl and the promise is to be fulfilled Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Strong will give a party complimentary to the "Club of Thirteen" at her home on Tenth and Magnolia streets, next Friday night.

Mrs. Quinn of Castro street gave the players of "7-29-8" a dinner before the performance last night.

Mrs. A. A. Pennoyer contemplates a trip to Europe, for the purpose of educating her children.

The Acorn Club will present the farce, "Who's Who" at Van Britton's tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powning and William Powning have purchased a cottage at Belvedere, where they will spend the season.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear gave a complimentary dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear last Tuesday evening.

The Daughters of St. George have made arrangements for a valentine party to be given on the 14th of February.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a reception in honor of Mrs. B. Sturtevant Peet, at the residence of Mrs. Cowan, 1762 Goss street, this afternoon. Mrs. Peet is State president of the union.

Ugo Talbo, the famous tenor, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium next Wednesday evening, having been secured as a special attraction for the testimonial concert to Mr. Howe, which was postponed last week. This addition to the programme completes an array of talent that cannot be excelled and which is sure to draw a large audience. Bernard Mollenhauer and Nathan Landsberger, the favorite violinists; S. Homer Henly, basso; Miss Josephine Sistermans, soprano; Louis von der Mehden, 'cellist, and Miss Gretchen Bernett, contralto. A rare programme is promised.

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DEEDS.

FRIDAY, January 24, 1896.

People's Home Savings Bank to Johanna A. Ruppert, SW 28th and Myrtle sts W 123-6 x S 35 blk 654, Keene tract, Oakland; $10.

Jas. A. and Celia M. Johnson to J. E. Prewett, E 13th av 100 S E 21st st S 60 x E 100 blk 128 Clinton, E Oakland; $10.

Martin Walsh to Bernard Sperry, S E 15th st 15 E of E bndry line Town of San Antonio th E 75 x S 150, ptn Cannon tract, East Oakland; $1.

Geo. W. Zittle to Lottie Zittle, lots 51 to 55 resub Macklnnon and Gohrman tract, Brooklyn township; lots 14 and 15 Piedmont Villa tract, Oakland township; gift.

Wm. J. Laymance to Edmund J. Shattuck, NE Walnut st 216 SE Bay View av NE 25 E 150 NW 25 W 150 to beg, being the E ½ lot 19, blk 11, Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

H. B. and Laura A. Pinney to Florence O. Boon, E Prospect st 100 S Chicago av S 50 x E 115, lots 14 and 15, blk H revised map Prospect Hill tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Harry L. and Jessie Coleman to Julia M. Coleman, all interest in Estate of John W. Coleman; $5.

J. B. McChesney extr Estate Ella J. Moe to L. S. Burchard, NW Harrison and Durrant st N 50 x W 150, Oakland; $8000.

Trinidad Villa by J. A. Webster tax coll to A. Mccartney, lot 40, blk 550, Scott Property, Oakland; $8.

Anna A. Miller to A. Schrover, N cor 18th av and E 20th st NE 140 x NW 150 blk 55 San Antonio, East Oakland; $10.

Laura E. Abbott wf S. B. to Jas. Morse, lots 23 and 24, blk I, Broadway Terrace, subj to a mtge of $70, Oakland township; $10.

Jas. and Angeline Morse to Jas. O'Boyle, same, Oakland township; $10.

John R. Glascock extr Est W. H. Glascock and Mary A. Blow to Chas. and Emma C. Riesehweber, Lot 40 Glascock & Blow, Temescal tract, Oakland township; $10.

J. M. and L. B. Martinez to Jose Guillermo, E 6th 150 N University av E 120 N 65 to center Strawberry creek th W to E 6th st S to beg, ptn blk 85, Sisterna tract, Berkeley; $10.

Jos. McKeown to Town of Berkeley, S Dwight way 640 W McGee st or av S 250 E 60 N 250 W 60 to beg, to be used for public street, Berkeley; $1850.

Mary B. Mathews to same, NE cor Calais st and Smith's sub ptn Mathews tract th W 60 N to N line lds of 1st party th E 60 S to beg, to be used for public street, Berkeley; $10.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to Cal. Guarantee Invest Co., lo's 6 and 7, blk 1; lots 1 to 4, 6, 14 to 17, 27 blk 2; lots 11, 12, 21, 22 and 23 blk 3, Dowling tract, Berkeley; $10.

Jas. and Christina E. Park to Lorenzo D. Utman, lots 36 and 37, blk E, Elmhurst tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

S. M. and Harriet H. Haslett to Geo. H. Tyson, SW Clinton av and Walnut st W 44 x S 120 blk D, Bellevue tract, Alameda; SE Clinton av and Walnut st E 49-6 x S 120 blk C, Bellevue tract, Alameda; SE Clinton av and Cedar st E 43 x S 120 blk B, Bellevue tract, Alameda; $10.

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7:36 a	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis	6:39 p
8:04 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:45 p
9:37 a	Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	4:09 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:04 a
2:01 p	*Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:00 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:04 a
4:06 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:34 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:36 p	European mail, Ogden and East	9:12 a
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Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
9:00 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and ***Orville	3:37 p
9:00 a	***Peters and Milton	***6:41 p
1:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	9:41 p
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9:26 a	To Melrose	11:04 a
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12:36 p	Fitchburg	2:08 p
3:36 p	Elmhurst	5:08 p
4:36 p	San Leandro	6:08 p
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7:36 p	Haywards	10:08 p
9:36 p		11:18 p
11:01 p		6:38 a

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"The Meddler" Chats Merrily of Doings of the Swell Set.

Home from the Macdonough, dear Tribune, and what a merry, jolly show it was, to be sure. It was like seeing your own family act in your own drawing room. And how we did applaud! Frost-bitten Oakland really awoke, rubbed its mist-filled eyes and inquired, "Where are we at?" Then we clapped, at first good-naturedly, then enthusiastically, at last rapturously. We always know the Charity Company was a good thing, but somehow we never realized quite how good until we heard that Saturday night was to be the final one. However, we hope that this farewell may be like the famous Patti farewells, and that there may be always just one more.

I really think this was the chef d'œuvre of the company. "Rosedale" was good, but this was worked up charmingly and was really quite professional. There was nothing amateurish about the performance except the drop curtain. Who would have thought that the Macdonough curtain would rise to the occasion like that?

As a mark of appreciation the club presented the company with some magnificent floral tributes, and entre nous some of the members of the club (male) presented some of the members of the company (female) with exquisite flowers with a personal application. By the way, what do violets mean in the language of flowers that children know? Hasn't it something to do with the tender passion? It seems to me I have an echo in my brain somewhere. Miss Daisy Bello Sharp received two of the most stunning bouquets of violets I have ever seen. All the other members were similarly remembered. Dainty Maud Morrell received exquisitely appropriate white hyacinths. Mrs. Ewing was lost under an artistic bunch of shaggy yellow chrysanthemums. Harry Thomas, I honestly believe, cabbaged one of the baskets of violets and early spring jonquils.

How did they play? Oh, as Shakespeare says, "excellently well." They did not mouth the words. Nobody was affected or stage struck. Everyone looked and acted their prettiest, and the result was a play so well-balanced and symmetrical as any amateur performance ever given in the land. The play "7-20-8" is one of the Daly plays. Consequently its cleverness and dexterous plot goes without saying. It is full of amusing situations, not one of which was allowed to slip. Jack Wilson, our own handsome Jack, who is the same old boy in spite of the fact that he is a happy papa, was "Courtney Corliss." John Drew's old part. He took it very well. You know he is an admirable lover—devoted, tender, passionate. He jerked his mustache in much the Drew fashion, and if both his eyes were not straight he might look a little like the ugly, fascinating John.

Alex. Rosborough we saw in a new role. We fancied he could only be a minstrel or a clown, but he developed into an old gentleman comedian, with an admirable make-up, and a dressing gown like a bathrobe. Alex. was every bit as good as a professional, and in the bonbache scene fairly great.

Harry Thomas was "Paul Hollyhock," newly married. Poor Harry, how they did guy him. Not but what his acting was all right, for he was very clever, but every time he put his arm around his young wife, the one on the stage, not the one in the dress circle, everybody laughed. Harry blushed through his rouge, but kept his face straight. It was really excruciatingly funny. It reminded me of the way we guyed Phil Remillard in "Rosedale" when he said he didn't drink.

Frank Mathieu, who was the Leslie correspondent in Rosedale, was an Italian, late master of the ballet. His character work was really extremely clever and well-sustained. Everyone was astonished at the finish of it.

Harry Quinn was the postman, not as a diver. He had one effective scene with Miss Morrell.

Charlie Dickman as "Professor Gaslight" was as good as any professional in the part. His was a clever bit of character acting.

Mrs. J. Cal. Ewing was "Mrs. Hypatia Bargiss." Mrs. Ewing is a charming little actress and played her part with grace and dignity.

Miss Daisy Belle Sharpe, as "Dora Hollyhock," looked perfectly charming in stunning gowns.

Miss Maud Morell had Ada Rehan's part, "Flos," a character which she played with the simplicity, grace and freedom so characteristic of her. Her rendition was spirited, too, and she did the potulant scene to perfection. Miss Morrell certainly has the makings of a very excellent actress in her. We will watch her career with interest.

Edna Elsemere was the clever and pertinacious maid servant—she of the neat ankles and omnipresent feather duster.

The play went smoothly from the very beginning. They didn't have any prompter. Leo Cooper managed the stage and made a brief speech at the close of the third act.

And the house? It was very prettily and well-dressed. All the boxes were taken. Harry East Miller was host in one with Myra Prather and Miss Mhoon. James Moffitt and Florence Dunham were among his guests. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Waldron and Miss Gaskill were in the adjoining box. They all looked very swell—hatless and in evening dress. After al it is by far the prettiest and most becoming. I was sorry I wore my hat, even if it was a new and very pretty one. All the girls in the Miller box wore nodding American Beauty roses, only they were too high to get the full effect.

George Uhl gave a theater party in the right-hand stage box. His guests were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Uhl, Miss Mabel Craft and Mr. Blake. Mrs. Uhl wore pale blue and was without a hat. Miss Craft wore grey silk and American Beauty roses.

The Strong girls and Mr. Townsend were in the next box. Miss Lillie Strong and Miss Georgie Strong wore white gowns and big black hats, a striking combination.

The audience was full of well-known people—all Oakland, it seemed to me. In the first row of the dress circle were Dr. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, P. M. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Craft, Miss Ethel Bates, Mrs. Fannie Merriman Thomas, radiant in pink and green, Charles Bates, Miss Kittredge, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Will Henshaw, Miss Ferrier, Judge and Mrs. Henshaw, Lieutenant and Mrs. Carmine, the latter in pale blue satin, Miss Rosa May, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Meehan, Miss Meehan, Miss Knowles, Mr. Phillips, Irving Lewis, Mrs. A. A. Moore, Miss Ethel Moore in a pink shirt waist, Al. Moore, the Pringles, Hart North, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell, Mr. McCormick, Phil Remillard, Ollie Vinzent, Miss Evelyn Remillard, the Misses Moffitt, Miss Mayne Merriman, Mr. Merriman, Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Merriman Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Rob Knight, Mrs. Chabot, Misses Josephine and Claire Chabot, Miss Mamie Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melvin, J. Cal. Ewing, the Misses Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Florinne Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Adams—these were a few of our crowd that I saw through my lorgnettes or shook hands with in the foyer. It was a very gay crowd. I do not think our set will be out in such full force tomorrow night, though I hear Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard is to give a large theater party. Mrs. Chabot's, I think, was the largest tonight.

After the play there were many petit soupers at the Maison l'Opera and at private houses. Harry Quinn's mother gave him a dinner before the play—he took part, you know. Among the guests were the Misses Strong.

Tomorrow night there will be a reception to Maud Morrell, who is going on the truly stage instead of the mimic one very soon. She is a sweet girl and we shall always have the warmest kind of interest in her.

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And now I suppose I must pick up the tangled thread of last week. Really, I don't know where I left off. Where was I? O, yes, at the Macdonough last Saturday night. It was all clever and more charity. I understand the Unitarians netted $400, which was more than they expected and good for one night. Everybody was very clever, and there were all sorts of impromptu jokes. There were so many encores that we didn't get home until Sunday morning, shocking, wasn't it? But, all for charity, you know. That's our excuse. Dr. George Pardee, Uncle George Bromley, Miss Kavanaugh and Alex Rosborough divided the honors, I thought. There can be no doubt about it—Dr. Pardee should have been a lawyer. After the performance, thirteen of the principal performers and members of the committee dined at the Maison l'Opera. It was a merry little supper and lasted far into the morning, and they say that Uncle George is superstitious about the number, thirteen, too.

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Miss Knowles' luncheon last Saturday was a charming affair. The table was bright and beautiful, with cut glass, silver and Perle du Jardin roses, and menu cards daintily formed of rose petals. Those at table were Mrs. Mark Requa, Mrs. Edson Adams, Misses Mary and Florence Dunham, Mrs. Harry Adams, Miss Mamie Knowles, Miss Hall, Miss Bertha Wilcox, Miss Amy McKee, Miss Alice Grimes and Miss Nellie Chabot.

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Mrs. Spiers of Berkeley gave a dinner to San Francisco people almost exclusively on Thursday evening. There were twelve guests and the decorations were hyacinths.

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Mrs. Mastick of Alameda gave a large card party tonight. All the Alameda contingent were there and were consequently missed from the Macdonough.

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The guests at the McNear dinner given recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear by Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr. were Miss Amy McKee, Miss Mae Tucker, Miss Ella Goodall, Gus McDonald, John McNear, Mr. Campbell, Miss Bessie McNear, Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear.

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Dr. E. H. Pardee is quite ill again. His condition is not so alarming as it was last summer, but still serious enough to cause his friends anxiety.

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The news that has saddened me this week was the death of Joe Pierce, formerly of Berkeley, now of Santa Barbara. Mr. Pierce was the magnificent fellow who used to play center on the football team. He was a superb specimen of physical manhood, a Chi Phi, a thoroughly good fellow and one of the most popular men in the University. His death was terribly sudden—a few days of tonsilitis. All Santa Barbara mourns, and a great many hearts in other places as well. Joe was a dear good boy, and so bright and merry that no one could help loving him. The students lovingly called him "Our Joe." Well, he is still "Our Joe." He was betrothed to Miss Helen Cashman of Alameda, and the wedding was to have taken place soon. Miss Cashman has gone to Santa Barbara.

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At Miss Howard's dinner, given before the Bachelors' and Benedicts' cotillion, the other evening, the following were present: Miss Marie Rose Dean, Miss Jessie Glascock, Miss Nina Pringle, Ned Pringle, Fred Magee, Harry Miller, Maud and Karl Howard.

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The Hopkins Art Association is to give a Mardi Gras ball in the beautiful Hopkins house on Shrove Tuesday, February 18th. It will be the last big society event before Lent. There will be many guests from this side of the bay. As a spectacle, it will be well worth seeing. The ladies are to be masked and in dominoes or fancy dress. The gentlemen will not mask. Dancing on the polished floors of the Hopkins house is simply a dream.

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At the dance this week of the Monday Evening Dancing club, the following Oaklanders were present: Mr and Mrs. Tom Magee, Miss Jessie Glascock, Messrs. Hoffman and Alf Clement. The Magees and F. A. Greenwood were at the Tobin dinner, which preceded the dance.

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The engagement of Miss Julia Lombard, Berkeley's pretty and petite brunette, to S. H. Perkins, who is the San Francisco agent of the Santa Fe, is announced.

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Jim Toler has returned from a three weeks' trip in the southern part of the State. He has decided to permanently establish his concert studio in this city, at 546 Albion street, where he can be found every day but Friday, when he is at his studio at 841 Post street, San Francisco. Mr. Toler is making a deserved success with his voice culture lessons. He is an accomplished musician in every way and his pupils are making rapid progress.

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On Thursday night the Alameda Married People's Protective Association gave a dinner at Harmonie hall, Alameda. All the Tisdales, Tillers, Morrises, Plummers and Clays were there.

The next party will be a leap year affair on February 13th.

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The Saturday Morning Orchestra will give a concert before Lent, February 17th is the date set, and this time the orchestra that has drawn the bow and fingered the strings so many times for charity will play for its own benefit. They want a fund for music and instruction. The concert is under Mrs. Wright's direction, which means it will be quite as charming as heretofore. They have chosen a gloomy old building—Metropolitan hall. It is big, but is a resting place for all the "isms" and long haired ideas of our rattle brained humanity. It isn't half fresh and clean enough for these young girls.

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The engagement is announced across the bay of Miss Leah Gust to Ignatz Lowengart. Miss Gerst has quite as many friends outside as inside Jewish circles. She is a lovely girl, the oldest child of a charming family. Her father and mother are Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Gerst of Pierce and McAllister streets, and her grandfather A. Anspacher, who is called "Old Man Benevolent." The engagement receptions will be held next Tuesday and Thursday, and the wedding will be a grand affair.

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Mrs. J. C. Hampton gave a tea today. She was assisted in receiving by Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Lillian Strong, Miss Mamie Baker, Miss Carrie Ritter, Miss Edith Browne of Alameda and Miss Helene Bell.

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The wedding of Dr. Edwin Reese and Miss Lelia Hatch took place at the home of the bride in Berkeley on Thursday evening, and was a quiet affair. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. S. Hatch of the Berkeley Congregational church. The groom is a graduate of the Cooper Medical College, and will practice at Ukiah, Mendocino county, whither the couple went after the wedding.

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Mrs. George Fountain has been visiting her sister, Miss Nora Andrews, at Woodland.

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A leap year party was given to Miss Ayden at her residence on Felger avenue, Golden Gate, on Saturday evening. Those present were: Miss Jackson, Miss McLellan, Miss Doyle, Miss Abbott, Miss Lugg, Miss McMenomy, Miss Flanagan, Miss Wood, Miss Hlege, Miss Smith, Miss Storey, Miss Robertson, Miss Hill, Miss Jennings, Miss Kernon, Miss Kane, Miss Young, Miss McDonald, Miss Reuter, Miss McPhee, Miss T. Doyle, Miss E. McLellan, Miss A. Kane, Miss M. Storm, Miss Hampton, Messrs. Sullivan, Flanagan, McLellan, Lobershelmer, Bardin, McDonald, Harrington, McManus, Wood, Lugg, Armstrong, Kane, Gregory, Smith, Young, Murphy, McMenomy, Beeman, Niedt, Kaskens, Ayden, Abbott, Norwood, Dr. Murray, Mr. Hill, C. McDonald.

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Mrs. A. J. Ralston and Coralie Selby left for Louisville, Ky., on a visit. On their return they will bring back Clare Ralston, who has been visiting there so long.

Dear Tribune, it's a tired and sleepy girl now. The rain is pouring down, but all the players and all the merry-makers are safely housed by this time, so it is all right.

Au revoir to you all, and to all a good night. Your little friend,

THE MEDDLER.

THE WHEELOCK WHIST CLUB

Mrs. Gordon Stoly entertained the Wheelock Whist Club at her home on last Thursday afternoon. Despite the stormy weather most of the members were present and some scientific playing was indulged in. Among those present were Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. Fred Stratton, Mrs. Kittredge, Mrs. Chas. Holt, Mrs. W. H. Chickering, Mrs. Fine, Mrs. Frank Kendall, Mrs. Sether, Mrs. Correll and Mrs. T. L. Barker.

THE KNOWLES LUNCHEON.

Miss Mattie Knowles gave a pretty luncheon last Wednesday at her home on Jackson street. The decorations were extremely pretty and a merry gathering assembled. Many of those present were old schoolmates who have known each other for years. It was therefore a congenial crowd. Among others present were Miss Mary Dunham, Mrs. Mark Requa, Miss Spier of Berkeley, Miss Kate Spier, Mrs. Harry Adams, Miss Lizzie Watt, Miss Allie Grimes, Miss Hattie Hall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Bertha Wilcox, Miss Amy McKee and Mrs. Edson Adams.

THE HAMPTON AT HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton gave the first of their afternoons "at home" yesterday. The decorations of smilax and red carnations were tastefully arranged. They were assisted by several members of the "Club of Thirteen."

Among those present were Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Currier, Mrs. Fred Knight, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. McCone, Mrs. McKay, the Misses Eva Knight, Lemmon, Rawlings, Simmons, English, Mahoney, Mallard, Stevenson, Knight, Howard, Bennett, Stull, Connors, Holt, Kent, Currier, Channell, Burrell and others. Those who assisted in receiving the guests were Miss Lillian Strong, Miss Brown, Miss Craig, Miss Mamie Barker, Carolyn Ritter, Miss Marieduna Snell and Miss Whitney.

THE CRAIG CARD PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig gave a card party this week at their beautiful new home on Lake street. It was a gathering of the Knight Templar Social Club, and of course a delightful affair. Over fifty players sat at the tables playing six-handed euchre. After the game the guests were hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Craig.

Following are a few of those who enjoyed the evening: Mr. and Mrs. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Gaskill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. Smille of Berkeley.

UNLUCKY THIRTEEN.

Miss Louise Simmons gave a luncheon to the "Unlucky Thirteen Club," at the home of John T. Wright, 1313 Madison street, one evening this week. It was a pink luncheon and very pretty in its effect.

All of the members of the club were present excepting Coralie Selby, including Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Marguerite Knight, Miss Helen Lohman, Marguerite Jolliffe, Grace Holt, Ethel Kittredge, Emma Mahoney, Lillian Strong, Carrie Ritter, Laura Crellin, Mona Crellin and Gail Converse.

THE CARR-BEEL CONCERTS.

The first of the new series of the Carr-Beel Saturday Popular concerts will be given in Golden Gate Hall, San Francisco, on February 8th. This is the fifth year since these concerts were started. They have made a record unparalleled in the musical world of San Francisco. The prospects for the coming series are encouraging.

The first programme will comprise Mozart's beautiful quintette for clarinet and stringed instruments, Godard's piano trio in F., and some short pieces for clarinet and piano by Nella Gade. This will be the first time for the latter to be played on the coast.

AN ANNIVERSARY SUPPER.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the East Oakland Presbyterian Church, celebrated its tenth anniversary last night. The parlors of the church were prettily decorated with green and in the center of the room was set a large table. Around it sat the many guests while a most delicious supper was served. It evidently was not a night of fasting with the young Christians. Stories and anecdotes were told, jokes were cracked with the nuts and on the whole the young people had a most enjoyable time. Addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Palmer, Miss Pierce, Mr. Lowell and other prominent members of the church. It was a reception to the charter members who first organized the society and they had reason to rejoice at this birthday of the organization. Ten years ago the club was formed and since that time it has grown steadily until it has attained its prosperous and vigorous condition. It is one of the strongest organizations of its kind in the city, and boasts of a large membership.

Following are those who belong to the society, most of whom were present at the supper last evening:

H. W. McDonald, Mary E. Pierce, A. G. Stuart, Sadie J. Dewing, Mrs. McDonald, Gertrude Shelbourne, Wilbur Walker, Lizzie C. Luth, Lucy Vrooman, Carrie L. Gardner, William J. Gardner, Sarah Vrooman, Mrs. A. G. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stuart, Edith Robinson, Hattie E. Capell, Clara O. Pierce, C. H. Merithew, Mrs. Hattie Merithew, Eva Moggerson, Annie Brewer, G. A. Brewer, Edith Lang, Alice L. Osburn, W. P. Drewer, George P. Lowell, Mrs. L. M. Lowell, Florence B. Lovell, C. A. McCracken, F. L. Voorhies, Linda Wallace, Robert Grubb, Eva Peabody, Mabel Daly, Miss Emma and Maggie McDonald, Harrie Brown, Mr. Hobson, W. H. H. Hamilton, Mr. Palmer, Carrie McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Granger, Edgar Alexander, Jennie Wheaton, Millicent Wheaton, James Sutherland, Kate Wolfenden, James Wolfenden, Edith Wade, A. C. Platt, Edith Alexander, Frank Alexander, Miss Dodge, Miss W. Hussey, May Smith, L. Kemp, Matie Roop, Walter Hussey, Jr. and Mrs. N. N. Chamberlain, Annie Fox, Blanche Woodward, Sadie Storey, Gertrude Thayer, Mabel Thayer, Bessie Crane, May Watson, Dolly Summer, Ralph Summer, Miss Sturtevant, Mr. Vose, Miss Read, Misses Bessie and Alice O'Neil, Magdalene Blanchart, Annie Hobson, Minnie Sutherland, Pierson Morehouse, Noshit Kemp, Chester McClain and William Watson.

THE UNDERGROUND SOCIAL CLUB.

A short time ago a party of young Oaklanders organized a club which they called the "Underground Social Club," for social and literary purposes. Their club rooms are at 455 Seventh street. Meetings are held two or three nights a week and the time is enjoyably spent. Members of the club are welcomed and made "at home" at all hours.

Several pleasant smokers have already been given and a club run is contemplated. For this latter event a fund is being raised. The membership is limited to twelve.

Following are the officers: President, O. M. Peck, vice president, H. P. Bangborn; secretary and steward, Mr. Kelly; treasurer, A. B. Durrell; sergeant at arms, George Phillips. The members are Charles Beck, Ed Davis, Harry Lewis, Frank Woodbridge and K. Chamberlain.

Visitors are admitted only by visiting cards which may be had from the president.

A RECEPTION.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. P. Mitchell gave a reception at their residence on Fruitvale avenue last night, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Dolg. The parlors were prettily decorated for the occasion. After the dinner had been served, music and social intercourse was indulged in until a late hour. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. P. Mitchell, Mrs. Melville, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dolg, Mrs. Pettit, Miss Pettit, Miss I. Rutherford, Miss Margaret Rutherford, Messrs. William Dolg, William Ford, Peter Ford, Angus Martin, J. Y. Miller Jr., Alex. Mitchell, John Mitchell, Douglas Melville, Arthur Mitchell, Mary Melville, Pernana Pettit, Minell, Mary Mitchell, Pernana Pettit, Minnie Pettit, Clara Snow.

THE DURGIN BIRTHDAY.

One of the prettiest parties of the winter among the juvenile set, was that given by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Durgin, in honor of the third birthday of their daughter Mina. Notwithstanding the unpleasant weather seventeen of the tiny guests invited were present. The little tots were daintily attired in prettily colored dresses, producing a pleasing effect as they gathered together. After enjoying an hour of music and games each guest was presented with a souvenir cap. Then, led by their hostess they marched around the parlor and out into the dining room. The table was spread with dainties the young mouths could appreciate.

Miss Durgin received many valuable birthday presents, which in years to come will be highly valued. Among those present were Lawrence Rankin, Melvin Harland, Willie Hartz, Paul and Josephine Schaffer, Fern Golden, Laura Corlett, Leta and Alan Barlow, Wilford Crowell, Mabel and Louise Casavant, Edna Caro and Joel Scoby.

A FRATERNITY BALL.

The Lambda Theta Phi Fraternity of the Oakland High School gives a ball at Masonic Temple tonight. The fraternity is composed exclusively of girls, who are enterprising enough to undertake to give a large ball. Miss Zema West is at the head of the affair and with Walter Dayton will lead the German.

The others to be in the first set are Ruth Wilder and George Cupps, Amy Phelan and Arthur North, Alma Brown and Ray Burrell, Ethel Whitney and Will Olney, Agnes Borland and Arthur Brown, Mamie Kent and W. Creed.

MEN'S LEAGUE SOCIAL.

The Men's League of the Brooklyn Presbyterian church, East Oakland, gave a reception to their friends last Friday evening. The social was entirely under the direction of the gentlemen of the church. The ladies, according to Rev. Mr. Palmer, having nothing to do but to go and enjoy themselves without a thought of cake to cut or dishes to wash.

A fine programme had been prepared and lavish arrangements for refreshments were made, but the storm rendered it impossible for many to be present. However those who were there had a royal good time. The orchestra rendered a fine selection, W. R. Evans gave a humorous recital, which was fully appreciated, and Mrs. Dodge favored the company with a vocal solo. The others on the programme were not present.

"The next order," to once more quote Mr. Palmer, "was the serving of refreshments, which certainly bore the distinction of being out of the ordinary, but this added zest to the appetites and the gentlemen had the satisfaction of peredying that their efforts in this direction were a success."

THE MORCK SOCIAL.

A very pleasant social was given last Saturday evening at the residence of Mrs. Morck on Twenty-first street near San Pablo avenue in honor of Miss Carrie Morck. A very interesting little programme, consisting of literary exercises and music was rendered. After lunch games were indulged in until nearly 12 o'clock. The friends present were:

Miss Maggie Scott, Miss Minnie Lebrecht, Miss Johanna Vockel, Miss Stella Lufkin, Miss Ella Jennings, Mr. Theodore Jennies, Mr. Frank Lewis, Mr. F. E. Madden, Mr. T. L. Madden, Mr. Harry Bennett, Mr. W. S. Smith, Mr. L. Furkin, Mr. A. Manning, Mr. F. Manning, Mr. W. Young, Messrs. Frank and Fred Jennings, Mr. Morck and Master Leonard Morck.

SYMPHONY CONCERTS.

The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, the recently organized musical society, has arranged for a series of semi-popular and symphony concerts to be given on Friday afternoons in Golden Gate Hall, 625 Sutter street, San Francisco. This organization is composed of some of the best professional musical talent on the coast. Many of the members are soloists of note on their respective instruments, some belonged to Scheel's orchestra and not a few have figured in Eastern concerts—James Hamilton Howe, the conductor, is well known in this city and throughout the East for his executive ability and mu-

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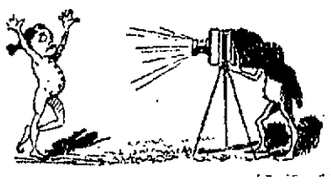

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SOCIETY NEWS

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sical talent. Bernhard Mollenhauer, the concert master, is also well known in musical circles. He is from New York, coming to this coast three years ago. Since that time he has done much to advance the musical interests of San Francisco. He is without a peer in this section as a violin soloist.

One symphony concert will be given each month and the remaining Fridays devoted to the popular concerts. The plan pursued by this society will be similar to that of the Boston Symphony, under Henschel and Gericke, and the New York orchestras under Seidl and Damrosch. The programme will be arranged to suit the varied tastes but Wagner's works will receive especial attention.

The following list of prominent soloists coupled with the name of those in charge, assures the success of the entertainments.

Nathan Landsberger, Mr. Mollenhauer, Louis Von der Mehden, violin cellist, A. Paulsen, flute, C. H. Deamun, oboe, E. W. Kent, clarionet; J. Mundwiler, bassoon; O. Schlott, French horn; W. H. Cleverd, trombone; C. Millner, H. Lida, F. Hess, A. F. Johannsen, E. Baumgartel, M. R. Fleischman, H. Sussman, G. Bogsch, G. Solo, C. Schumsoche, T. Grimfolds, L. Chapuy, R. Patek, P. Angusteln, A. Mihos, C. Gerlich, E. Johannsen, E. Cluno, H. Arf, K. Cluno, C. Schuppert, R. L. Merritt, H. Zoberbier, L. M. Ramsey, G. W. Loyde, E. Kelly, G. Gartman, W. Delany, H. Overbeck, D. M. Wright.

THE MITCHELL WHIST PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell gave a progressive whist party at their home in Alameda last Friday evening.

Frank Otis won the first gentleman's prize, a silver shaving mug; and Mr. Clarence Smith won the first lady's prize, a writing portfolio. H. T. Lally won the gentleman's booby prize, an invitation prayer book containing a pack of cards and counters, and Miss Kent of Oakland won the lady's booby prize, a set of ivory whist counters. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Dillman, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wiggin, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Lally, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mastick, Mrs. Jerr Day, Mr. and Mrs. Clay, Mrs. McInerny, Mr. and Mrs. Odell, Mr. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Marquis, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Larkin, Miss Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Otis, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill, Miss Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelly, Miss Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Colman, Mrs. E. A. Smith, and Captain Morse.

SCOTCHMEN CELEBRATE.

St. Andrew's Society celebrated the 137th anniversary of Robert Burns' birth by an entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Wednesday evening. The auditorium was crowded with patriotic Scotchmen who applauded vigorously the popular songs of their native land.

DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY

Oakland Council No. 3, Daughters of Liberty, gave an informal social and dance at Upper Hamilton Hall last Monday evening. An impromptu programme was rendered, including recitations by Miss Helen Buteau and Miss Cooper. Members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. were present and everyone seemed to partake of the spirit of sociability which reigned, until a late hour.

The next regular meeting of the council will be held in Fraternal Hall or Washington street, on Friday evening, January 31st, at 8 o'clock. It is proposed to make these informal socials a feature after the regular business of the meeting is over, and members of the junior order are invited to be present. Only Native American born are eligible for membership and it is hoped to build up a congenial body of people and cultivate fraternity and mutual improvement.

Y. M. I. REUNION.

Councils 6, 8 and 31 Y. M. I., had an enjoyable reunion in their hall last Tuesday evening. The room was prettily decorated with greens and flowers. A sumptuous banquet was served to which 150 members sat down. Toasts were drank and after supper a short programme was rendered. Toast Master R. H. Hammond made a welcoming address and introduced Grand President Lynch, who responded to the toast, "Our Order."

Following is the order of the evening:

Toast, "Our Country's Flag," M. Glenn, president of No. 6, San Francisco; song, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," M. A. McInnis, president of No. 31; toast, "Our Rival Guilds and Protectives," Rev. Father Hills; recitation, Frank Mettlin; toast, "Fraternity," Joseph Kinney, No. 8; specialties, Joseph Healy, No. 8; toast, "Y. M. I. in Alameda County," James S. Carey, No. 31; song, Mr. Allen; toast, "The Ladies," John Connolly, No. 8. The programme concluded by the singing of "America," by all present.

JOURNEYMAN BUTCHERS' BALL

The ball given by Oakland branch No. 2, Journeymen Butchers, at Hermann's Hall, Wednesday evening, was a great success. It was the occasion of the fifth anniversary of the lodge and was unusually elaborate and select on that account.

All the extra dances were leap year dances, the young ladies having the privileges. Much fun was occasioned by this, which was a fitting climax to the pleasantry of the entire evening.

Following are those who had charge:

Committee of arrangements; Chairman, James Stephens, Frank Fannon, George T. Loher, Gus Roemer, William Bertle.

Reception Committee, George Warren, William Such, William Wilkonson, Emmet Frye, A. L. Hamilton, Charles Meier.

Floor Committee; Floor managers, Joe Pickford, Joe Stutt, Charles Ohme, Fred Knott, J. J. Douglas, F. B. Bartels.

AN ENGAGEMENT RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Happ gave a pleasant reception to their daughter Becky last Sunday, at their home, 854 Adeline street. It was given in celebration of Miss Happ's engagement to Mr. Gold.

The afternoon and evening were enjoyably spent in dancing before which a short musical and literary programme was rendered.

Percy Harris gave a well chosen recitation, as did also Miss Hersch and Miss Hoensch. Miss Silverstein and Miss Klass favored the company with a piano duet. The young couple were showered with congratulations and best wishes. The date of the wedding is not yet set.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. Hersch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. L. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, Dr. Moses Cohn, Miss Beant, Mr. and Mrs. Bear, Mr. and Mrs. Elias, the Misses S. and E. Elias, Leo and Lilla Silverstein, Mrs. Flatow, Ray and Edward Flatow, Mr. and Mrs. Brunner, Mr. Perry Cohn, Robert Rosenfield, Marsh Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Harry Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Brigandi.

COMPANY A BALL.

Company A, Fifth Infantry, N. G. C., is busy making preparations for its first ball of 1896. This will be given on Wednesday evening next at Armory Hall. The members are working hard and success seems assured. The balls given by this company in the past have always proved most popular and entertaining. The one on Wednesday promises to excel those former attempts.

The hall will be prettily decorated and refreshments served. Music will be furnished by the Fifth Infantry Band and the evening spent in dancing.

THE GALINDO SOCIAL.

The guests of the Galindo hotel gave their third monthly social and concert in the hotel building last night. The halls and stairway were prettily and copiously decorated for the event. The banisters on either side were covered with large sprays of greens freshly cut and fragrant. The walls of the hall were similarly bedecked. In addition to this, large, handsome Japanese and fancy palms, umbrella plants and other potted plant were artistically placed about the spacious building. In the dining room, where the dancing was enjoyed, the same care and taste was evidenced. The red carpet and green tinsel were blended well together, making the house a veritable bower.

After an excellent musical programme the dining room was cleared for dancing. There were twelve dances, with three extras, which occupied the entire evening and also a portion of the morning hours. The entire affair was a great success. A large gathering was present, and all enjoyed themselves, everything passing off smoothly under able management.

Following are those who had charge:

Committee of Arrangements—Ugo Talbo, F. B. Woodhouse, F. E. Atkinson, Mrs. F. G. Beckett, Mrs. F. B. Woodhouse, Mrs. T. G. Duncan.

Floor directors—A. Chamberlain, T. G. Duncan.

Floor committee—J. A. Nolan, H. M. Jamison, A. Karlson, H. C. Knapp, H. C. Bilger, F. E. Laymance.

Reception committee—H. C. Web, A. Hilson, J. W. Laymance, Thos. J. Brady, C. W. Gallagher, F. A. Saunders, William J. Laymance, Harry H. Seawell, Mrs. M. C. Robinson, Mrs. J. W. Lyall, Mrs. A. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. F. M. Cosgrove, Mrs. G. D. Wright, Mrs. A. Hilson, Miss M. Atkinson, Miss M. Wynne.

Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray, Dr. and Mrs. Fearn, Dr. F. E. McCullough and ladies, Mrs. F. G. Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Duncan, Mrs. M. C. Robinson, Mrs. E. M. Laymance, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyall, Mr. and Mrs. A. Yule, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Standing, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Woodhouse, Mrs. P. Vanderveek, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Chamberlain, Mrs. M. Jacobs, Mrs. P. Bernett, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Mrs. and Mrs. O. M. Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dey, Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Todd, Mrs. A. A. Salto, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Webb, Mrs. B. F. Cummings, Mrs. G. P. White, Mrs. M. J. LeNoir, Mrs. J. F. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson, Mrs. L. F. Blackburn, Mrs. Frank Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cosgrove, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hilson, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Clap, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Web, Mrs. L. J. Haskell, Mrs. Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. O. P. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William S. J. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Snow, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Grosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Kukem, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sohow, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Summers, Mr. and Mrs. E. Howard, Dr. and Mrs. Kukein, Mesdames S. H. Parsons, A. Abrahamson, E. C. Myrick, L. Blackburn, Y. W. Cohen, Boxie, G. K. Sharpe, E. Nadams, S. A. Duckard, B. C. Wels, Gillan Reardon, D. Levin, H. Jones, H. A. Chapman, L. Haskell, Lavella Haskell, M. J. LeNoir, Mrs. Lathrop, Mr. and Mrs. Eulencamp, Mrs. A. Keating, Mrs. W. M. Kary, Mrs. Geo. S. Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Storey, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Hickman.

Misses Mabel Alderson, Carrie Montgomery, Edith Snow, Belle Wyte, E. Levin, Ella Flynn, Maud Tooby, Mary Reardon, Annie H. Larsen, Dollie Sholz, Maud Gwynne, Pearl Hickman, Clara Reese, May Cooble, Madge Summers, Lyda Whelan, Nellie Whelan, Bessie Lynch, K. Bennett, S. Sharp, Leaha Falk, May Moss, Lillian Fleming, Sophie Leipsic, Rosa Morris, H. Lippman, Edythe Hutchins, Annie Andrews, A. Andrews, Annie Kink, Rete Waltenbaurh, Neata Melburtz, Julian Benson, Sadie Myrick, Louisa Wiedersheim, Nellie Sohst, Emma Gallagher, Minnie Spalhawk, Gussie Arp, Ella Good, Anna Good, Maud Nelson, Teresa Dohl, Tiny Wells, Ione Van Noy, Emma Wells, Ida Harris, Lottie Pearce, Annie Davis, L. Biggis, Emily Dixon, Kate Comstock, Gertrude Bernett, Gretchen Bernett, Agnes Farley, Maud Tooy, Flora Fraser, Ray Hilison, E. Crist, Edith Titus, Nettie Morris, Rose Morris, Amy Soule, Minnie Atkinson, Mary Wyrme, LeNoir, Irogene Lyal, Leo Falk, Annie Kennedy, Minnie Alves, George Manson, Daisy Streng, Elsie Thomas, Bergis, Annie McCall.

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Much of the success of the affair is due to Mrs. M. S. Robinson, the proprietress of the Galindo.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Misses Audiffred are entertaining Miss Belle McArthur of Woodside and Miss A. Shelley of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. George Faulkner have gone to Portland to remain until the middle of February.

Attorney J. H. Lucas will move to Mariposa shortly to practice his profession.

Mrs. Sumner Bugbee, who is in Pasadena, is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

Mrs. F. C. Watson is suffering from a slight indisposition.

Bert Brayton, who has been threatened with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Irving Lewis has issued invitations for a card party to be given in honor of her sister, Mrs. Giles Easton, who is expected from the East next week.

Mr. and Mrs. George De Golia gave a dinner party to six, Thursday evening.

On February 8th the Deux Temps will give a leap year party to be the last dance of the season. There was no first set in the German last Saturday for the first time since the organization of the club. The whole assembly was a first set led by Dwight Hutchinson and Robert Ayers.

The Fortnightly Club met as usual last night. It was an assembly, no German being danced.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Emigh will receive their friends on the 1st and 3d Wednesdays of each month, at their residence, 557 Albion street.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig will give a party at their Lake street home, next Wednesday. On their silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Craig were given a silver salad bowl by the "Find and Home" staff of Brown, Craig & Co. The staff was promised that they should be the first to use the bowl and the promise is to be fulfilled Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Strong will give a party complimentary to the "Club of Thirteen" at her home on Tenth and Magnolia streets, next Friday night.

Mrs. Quinn of Castro street gave the players of "7-20-8" a dinner before the performance last night.

Mrs. A. A. Pennoyer contemplates a trip to Europe, for the purpose of educating her children.

The Acorn Club will present the farce, "Who's Who" at Van Britton's tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powning and William Powning have purchased a cottage at Belvedere, where they will spend the season.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear gave a complimentary dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Seward McNear last Tuesday evening.

The Daughters of St. George have made arrangements for a valentine party to be given on the 14th of February.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a reception in honor of Mrs. B. Sturtevant Peet, at the residence of Mrs. Cowan, 1762 Goss street, this afternoon. Mrs. Peet is State president of the union.

Ugo Talbo, the famous tenor, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium next Wednesday evening, having been secured as a special attraction for the testimonial concert to Mr. Howe, which was postponed last week. This addition to the programme completes an array of talent that cannot be excelled and which is sure to draw a large audience. Bernard Mollenhauer and Nathan Landsberger the favorite violinists; S. Homer Henley, basso; Miss Josephine Sisterman, soprano; Louis von der Mehden, violist, and Miss Gretchen Bernett contralto. A rare programme is promised.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, January 24, 1896.

People's Home Savings Bank to Johanna A. Ruppert, SW 28th and Myrtle sts W 125-6 x S 35 blk 654, Keene tract, Oakland; $10.

Jas. A. and Celia M. Johnson to J. C. Prewett, E 17th av 100 S E 24th st S 50 x E 100 blk 128 Clinton, E Oakland; $10.

Martin Walsh to Bernard Sperry, S E 15th st 15 E of E Lndry line Town of San Antonio th E 75 x S 150, pin Cannon tract, East Oakland; $1.

Geo. W. Zittle to Lottie Zittle, lots 51 to 55 resub Macklinnon and Gohrman tract, Brooklyn township; lots 14 and 15 Piedmont Villa tract, Oakland township; gift.

Wm. J. Laymance to Edmund J. Shattuck NE Walnut st 216 SE Bay View av NE 25 E 150 NW 25 W 150 to beg, being the E ½ lot 19, blk 11, Warner tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

H. B. and Laura A. Pinney to Florence O. Boon, E Prospect st 100 S Chicago av S 50 x E 115, lots 14 and 15, blk H revised map Prospect Hill tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Harry L. and Jessie Coleman to Julia M. Coleman, all interest in Estate of John W. Coleman; $5.

J. B. McChesney extr Estate Ella J. Moe to L. S. Burchard, NW Harrison and Durrant st N 50 x W 150, Oakland; $8000.

Trinidad Villa by J. A. Webster tax roll to A. Mccartney, lot 40, blk 550, Scott Property, Oakland; $8.

Anna A. Miller to A. Schrover, N cor 18th av and E 20th st NE 140 x NW 150 blk 55 San Antonio, East Oakland; $10.

Laura E. Abbott wf S. B. to Jas. Morse, lots 23 and 24, blk I, Broadway Terrace, subj to a mtge of $70, Oakland township; $10.

Jas. and Angeline Morse to Jas. O'Boyle, same, Oakland township; $10.

John R. Glascock extr Est W. H. Glascock and Mary A. Blow to Chas. and Emma C. Rieschweber, Lot 40 Glascock & Blow, Temescal tract, Oakland township; $10.

J. M. and L. B. Martinez to Jose Guillermo, E 6th 150 N University av E 120 N 65 to center Strawberry creek th W to E 6th st S to beg, ptn blk 85, Sisterna tract, Berkeley; $10.

Jos. McKeown to Town of Berkeley, S Dwight way 640 W McGee st or av S 250 E 60 N 250 W 60 to beg, to be used for public street, Berkeley; $1850.

Mary B. Mathews to same, NE cor Calais st and Smith's sub ptn Mathews tract th W 60 N to N line lds of 1st party th E 60 S to beg, to be used for public street, Berkeley; $10.

Theodore and Ida Wagner to Cal. Guarantee Invest Co., lots 6 and 7, blk 1; lots 1 to 4, 6, 14 to 17, 27 blk 2; lots 11, 12, 21, 22 and 23 blk 3, Dowling tract, Berkeley; $10.

Jas. and Christina B. Park to Lorenzo D. Utman, lots 36 and 37, blk E, Elmhurst tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

S. M. and Harriet H. Haslett to Geo. H. Tyson, SW Clinton av and Walnut st W 44 x S 120 blk D, Bellevue tract, Alameda; SE Clinton av and Walnut st E 49-6 x S 120 blk C, Bellevue tract, Alameda; SE Clinton av and Cedar st E 43 x S 120 blk B, Bellevue tract, Alameda; $10.

Horatio B. and Maggie Vulpey to John W. Craycroft, 20.69 acres com at pt in middle Co road Washington Corners to San Jose at cor common to lds set off to Mary A. Craycroft th SE 6.86 chns NE 33.75 chs NW 5.32 chs SW 34.54 chs, to beg, Washington township; $5.

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WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 25.—(Special)—A life-long slavery is almost beyond belief in this twentieth century civilization and yet it is true. While standing in Poyntz & Co.'s drug store on Williams street yesterday and discussing the remarkable deliverance of Mr. George Gaffield, a prominent farmer and one of the oldest settlers of St. Charles District, he entered the store. His step was firm and elastic, his eye bright, his bearing that of a man in the full pride and vigor of manhood. In fact his whole being seemed to fairly bristle with life and energy. The reporter hesitated to ask if he had just been released from a terrible bondage, but upon being questioned, Mr. Gaffield was only too pleased to tell the following story as he expressed it for the good of humanity: "Yes, I am the man they are all talking about and I'm glad of it, because this talk may lead some of those who are tobacco spitting and smoking their lives away to find a cure in No-To-Bac. I was a heavy user of tobacco for over 45 years, an inveterate smoker and chewer, using a frightful amount of tobacco every week; in fact I was spending so much money for tobacco that it was really a great inconvenience to me financially. Not only this, but the habit was disagreeable and disgusting to my family and all I came in contact with. Did I try to stop? Well, I should say so, not once, but dozens of times, but it was no go. I had become such a slave to the weed that I couldn't live without it. About a year ago Poyntz recommended No-To-Bac to me, and my wife urged me to try it and so I bought a box of No-To-Bac. It made a perfect revolution in my life. From the day I took a No-To-Bac tablet I have not tasted tobacco. I used three boxes of No-To-Bac and was not only cured of the tobacco habit, but I regained my health and strength and was benefited in more ways than one. The truth of the matter is that No-To-Bac made a new man of me." Druggist Poyntz, who had listened to this wonderful story, said: "Of course I recommend No-To-Bac; why shouldn't I? It is one of the best remedies I ever sold, and the manufacturers, The Sterling Remedy Company of Chicago, New York and Montreal, are so fair and square that it's a pleasure to do business with them. Their guarantee is no fake. They authorize every druggist to sell No-To-Bac under the absolute guarantee that if three boxes fail to cure any case of the tobacco habit, the money will be refunded, and they refund it, too."

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The many friends of that sterling physician, Mrs. Dr. Wilson Stockham, will be glad to know she has returned to Oakland and has resumed practice at room 4, Plater block, where she may be consulted from 8 to 11 A. M. and 2 to 4 P. M., or at her residence, 766 Nineteenth street. She has been in practice over thirty years, and successfully treats cancers and tumors.

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Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
7:00 a	Atlantic express, Ogden and East	8:00 p
7:30 a	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sacramento and Redding via Davis	6:30 p
8:00 a	Martinez, San Ramon, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	6:45 p
9:30 a	Los Angeles express, Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	4:00 p
9:30 a	Martinez and Stockton	10:04 a
2:00 p	Port Costa and way stations	*7:14 p
4:00 p	New Orleans express, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	10:04 a
4:00 p	Santa Fe route, Atlantic express for Mojave and East	10:04 a
4:30 p	Martinez, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano and Santa Rosa	8:45 a
4:30 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:14 a
6:30 p	European mail, Ogden and East	9:33 a
7:30 p	**Vallejo	*7:14 p
7:30 p	Oregon express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:14 a
10:37 p	Sunset Limited, Fresno, Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and East	‖12:10 p

NILES ROUTE. First Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
8:00 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Red Bluff and ***Oroville	8:37 p
9:00 a	***Peters and Milton	***6:41 p
1:40 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:07 a
5:12 p	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:41 p
6:43 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

SAN LEANDRO AND HAYWARD. Seventh Street Near Broadway.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
7:00 a	(*) To Melrose, Seminary Park, Fruitvale, Elmhurst, San Leandro and Haywards.	(*) 9:38 a
8:00 a		11:08 a
10:00 a		1:08 p
12:30 p		2:08 p
3:00 p		5:08 p
4:30 p		6:08 p
5:30 p		8:08 p
7:30 p		‖10:08 p
9:30 p		‖11:18 p
11:00 p	‖	6:58 a

SANTA CRUZ DIVISION. Fourteenth and Franklin Streets. Narrow Gauge.

Leave	From November 20, 1895.	Arrive
8:15 a	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, San Cruz and way stations; ***also Glenwood, Cooper, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo, Guadalupe and way stations	6:44 p
2:15 p	***Newark, Center

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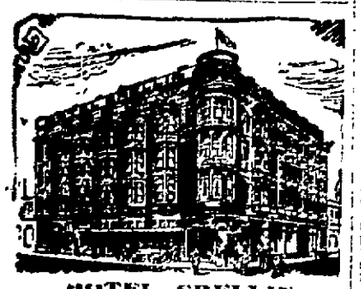

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PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the Estate of Mary Letford, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Letford, deceased, and for the issuance to James Letford of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, January 21, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Snook & Church, attorneys for petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF JEFFERSON MAURY, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the last will of Jefferson Maury, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix at her residence, at No. 1317 Shattuck avenue, in Berkeley, Alameda county, California, the same being her place of business for the transaction of the business of the said estate.
ADELAIDE C. MAURY,
Executrix of the last will of Jefferson Maury, deceased.
Dated at Berkeley, January 11th, 1896.

LEGAL.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of Frank Hawthorne, an insolvent debtor.
Order of adjudication of insolvency.
Frank Hawthorne having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Frank Hawthorne is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that the Sheriff of the County of Alameda, be and he is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal of the said Frank Hawthorne, insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate.
All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda in open court at the Court Room of said Court, in the County of Alameda, on the 27th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered, that in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent be stayed.
Dated January 18, A. D. 1896.
W. E. GREENE,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Endorsed: Filed January 18, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. Sinclair, Deputy Clerk.
Frederick C. Clift, attorney for insolvent.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of T. J. Fish, insolvent debtor.
T. J. Fish having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said T. J. Fish is hereby declared to be insolvent.
The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.
All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.
The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 27th day of January, 1896, be and appear before the Hon. John Ellsworth, Judge of the Superior Court, of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Court Room of said Court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 27th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered that in the meantime all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.
Dated January 18th, 1896.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.
L. D. Manning, attorney for petitioner.
Endorsed: Filed January 18, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. Cal Ewing, Deputy Clerk.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain Deed of Trust, duly executed by Howard Black and Kate O. Black, his wife, parties of the first part, Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, parties of the second part, and The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, party of the third part, dated October 7th, 1893, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 506 of Deeds, at page 111, and following; and in pursuance of a resolution passed on the 15th day of January, 1896, by the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of said The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, a Corporation, and the holder of the note (Loan No. 3838), to secure payment of which the aforesaid Deed of Trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the principal sum and other sums, due under said note and Deed of Trust, and requesting and directing said Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, to sell the real estate described therein, to satisfy said indebtedness.
We, Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, do hereby give notice, that on Monday the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896, at two (2) o'clock P. M. of that day, and at the Auction Sales Room of William J. Dingee, No. 460-462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, State of California, we will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in Gold Coin of the United States, all that piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the land conveyed by Howard Black to Edgar W. Chapin by deed dated January 6th, 1891, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, in Liber 425 of Deeds, page 13, being on the dividing line between plots Nos. 26 and 31 hereinafter mentioned and distant on said dividing line 40.32 chains east of the center line of County Road 1529 and running thence easterly along said dividing line between plots Nos. 26 and 31, 40.177 chains, thence north 25 chains 48 links, thence west 40 chains 18 links to the easterly line of the land conveyed to said Chapin by deed dated November 1st, 1892, recorded in the office of said Recorder, in Liber 487 of deeds, page 223, thence southerly along said easterly line of said land so conveyed to Chapin by said two deeds, 25 chains 48 links to the point of commencement, containing 102¾ acres of land, more or less, and being a portion of plot No. 26 as laid down and delineated on the map of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose, affixed to the Referee's Report in the case of Bernal versus Bernal for portion of said Rancho.
Together with the appurtenances.
Terms of Sale.—Cash in Gold Coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer; balance on delivery of deed; and if not so paid, unless for want of title (ten days being allowed for search), then said ten per cent to be forfeited, and the sale to be void. Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.
SAMUEL M. MARKS,
ROBERT J. DAVIS,
Trustees.
Dated January 22, 1896.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF ALBERT HOPKEN, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Albert Hopken, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the law office of Reed and Nusbaumer, S. E. corner Ninth and Broadway streets, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Albert Hopken, deceased.
MARIE C. HOPKEN,
Administratrix of the estate of Albert Hopken, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for administratrix.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Oakland Street Railroad Company will be held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1896, at No. 458 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal., at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing term.
W. P. MELVIN,
Secretary East Oakland Street R. R. Co.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.
To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.
Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:
The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.
And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.
Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.
And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.
Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.
JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 23, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, out of and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.
Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:
Bond numbered One, one year from date.
Bond numbered Two, two years from date.
Bond numbered Three, three years from date.
Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, or will be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.
Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.
All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."
F. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Mary S. Schofield, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with the will annexed.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Schofield, deceased, and for the issuance to H. S. Haseltine of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.
Dated, January 13, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
Indorsed, filed January 13, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
W. G. Witter, attorney for petitioner, Mills building, San Francisco, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of J. M. D. Green, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of J. M. D. Green deceased, and for the issuance to Wm. H. Knight of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, January 15, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed January 15, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Gibson & Whitmore, attorneys for petitioner.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE LICENSING FOR PURPOSES OF REGULATION AND REVENUE, EVERY KIND OF LAWFUL BUSINESS, HEREINAFTER SPECIFIED, TRANSACTED OR CARRIED ON WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND ALL SHOWS, EXHIBITIONS AND LAWFUL GAMES CARRIED ON THEREIN; FIXING RATES OF LICENSE TAX UPON THE SAME AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in carrying on, pursuing or transacting within the County of Alameda, any occupation, business or calling, hereinafter specified, must procure a license and pay a license tax therefor, as hereinafter provided. Said license tax must be paid in advance to the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance. Separate licenses must be procured, and the separate license tax paid for each branch, establishment, or separate house of business located in said county.
Section 2. License taxes shall be collected at the rate in this Ordinance prescribed, from the taking effect of this Ordinance provided that nothing in this Ordinance contained shall affect the validity of any license issued before the taking effect of this Ordinance; provided, however, that if any person, firm or corporation shall engage in, carry on or transact any business of occupation without having first procured the license in this Ordinance prescribed, there shall immediately become due and payable the entire license tax for the period for which the rate is in this Ordinance fixed.
Section 3. The Auditor must keep a ledger, in which he must keep the collectors' account of all licenses delivered to him, sold or returned unsold by him.
Section 4. The persons charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, must make diligent inquiry as to all persons liable to pay license tax, as provided in this Ordinance; and in all cases where the amount of license to be paid by any person, firm or corporation, is based upon the amount of receipts of sales affected, or business transacted, such person, firm or corporation shall render a sworn statement in writing to the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, made before some officer authorized to administer oaths, of the total amount of receipts, sales made, or business done by said person, firm or corporation respectively, during the three months next preceeding the expiration of the last license, which statement shall determine the amount for which such license shall be issued or renewed; and thereupon such person, firm or corporation must procure a license from the County of Alameda, for the term desired; and the class for which said party is liable to pay; and in all cases, where an under estimate has been made by the party appearing, the party making such estimate, or the person, firm or corporation he represents, are required to pay for a license for the next quarter, double the sum otherwise required; and the said person so charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, is hereby authorized to bring suit against any person, firm or corporation, liable to pay a license tax, who fails, neglects or refuses to pay the proper license tax, or who carries on, or attempts to carry on, business without first paying said license tax, for the recovery of said tax.
Section 5. On the first Monday in each month the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes under the provisions of this ordinance must return to the Auditor all licenses unsold, and be credited therewith; and must pay into the County Treasury, for the use of the County General Fund, all moneys collected for licenses sold during the preceding month.
Section 6. Auctioneers are divided into eight classes, and must obtain licenses from the said County of Alameda, as follows: Those whose average monthly sales amount to $500,000 and upwards, constitute the first class, and must pay a license tax of $200 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $75,000 and less than $100,000 constitute the second class, and must pay a license tax of $150 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $50,000 and less than $75,000, constitute the third class, and must pay a license tax of $100 per quarter, those whose monthly sales amount to $30,000 and less than $50,000, constitute the fourth class, and must pay a license tax of $75 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to $20,000, and less than $30,000, constitute the fifth class, and must pay a license tax of $50 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $10,000 and less than $20,000, constitute the sixth class and must pay a License Tax of $30 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to $2,500 and less than $10,000, constitute the seventh class, and must pay a license tax of $25 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to less than $2500, constitute the eighth class, and must pay a license tax of $7.50 per quarter.
Section 7. Licenses must be obtained for the purposes hereinafter named, and payment must be made as follows:
No. 1: Proprietors of billiard or pool tables, not kept exclusively for family use, for each table $1 per quarter.
No. 2: For a bowling alley, $1 per quarter for each alley.
No. 3: For each exhibition, for pay, of a caravan or menagerie, or any collection of animals, circus, or any acrobatic performance, $25.
No. 4. For each show, for pay, of any figures, jugglers, necromancers, magicians, wire or rope dancers, or slight of hand exhibition, $5 each day.
No. 5: For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of expressing, transmitting or conveying goods, wares or general merchandise of every kind and description, by wagons or vehicles drawn by horses or mules, $15 per quarter.
Section 8. Every person engaged in the business of a pawnbroker must pay a license tax of $20 per quarter.
Section 9. Every travelling merchant, hawker or peddler, who vends goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind (other than his own manufacture, or agricultural, vinicultural, ranch or farm produce or butchers' meat or fish), must pay a license tax of $10 per quarter; unless he uses a wagon or one or more animals for the purpose of vending such goods, wares or merchandise, in which case he must pay a license tax of $15 per quarter; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to bona fide merchants of said Alameda County who have fixed places of business, and who supply goods, wares or merchandise to other merchants or dealers within said county, who, also, have fixed places of business.
Section 10. Every person who keeps a stallion, jack or bull and who permits the same to be used for the purpose of propogation, for hire, must obtain a license therefor, and pay therefor as follows:
No. 1: Horses that are hired for the purpose of propogation for the season at $100 or more, constitute the first class, and require a license of $75 per year.
No. 2: At $75, and less than $100, constitute the second class, and require a license of $60 per year.
No. 3: At $50, and less than $75, constitute the third class, and require a license of $50 per year.
No. 4: At $20, and less than $50, constitute the fourth class, and require a license of $25 per year.
No. 5: At less than $20, constitute the fifth class, and require a license of $15 per year; for each jack, $15 per year; for each bull, $10 per year.
Section 11. In any action brought under or arising out of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, the fact that a party represented himself or herself as engaged in any business or employment, for the transaction of which a license is by this Ordinance required, or that such party exhibited a sign indicating such business or employment, shall be prima facie evidence of the liability of such party to pay license.
Section 12. The conviction and punishment of any person for transacting any business without a license, shall not excuse or exempt such person from the payment of any license due or unpaid at the time of such conviction.
Section 13. The provisions of this Ordinance shall not be construed as requiring the payment of any License Tax or the procuring of any license for any exhibition or entertainment given for the benefit of any church, school, or other charitable object, by any amateur dramatic association, or literary society of the town or district in which such exhibition or entertainment is given.
Section 14. It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to establish, open, keep, maintain or carry on within the County of Alameda, any saloon, bar, store, dram shop, tippling place, stand or any place where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, are sold or given away; or for any person, firm or corporation (except as hereinafter provided), to sell within the limits of the County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof without having the permission and license therefor as in this Section of said Ordinance provided.
No. 1: No license issued under any of the provisions of this Section of said Ordinance shall be assignable or transferable without the consent of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors endorsed thereon, and only to such person, firm or corporation as have obtained from the Board of Supervisors the permission hereinafter required, and having filed a bond as hereinafter provided, and complied in all other respects with the requirements of this Ordinance.
No. 2: No person, firm or corporation shall have issued to him or them the license required by this section of said Ordinance, unless such person, firm or corporation, be of good moral character, and first obtain permission as provided herein, by making application in writing to the Board of Supervisors at a meeting thereof, for permission to obtain the license herein required and shall file with said application a written recommendation signed by not less than five out of ten of the citizens of the County of Alameda, residing nearest the place where the applicant or applicants propose to carry on the said business, each of whom must be a freeholder, and the "head of the family," as that term is defined by Section 1261 of the Civil Code of the State of California.
The application in writing herein required shall contain and set forth:
First: The name and residence of the applicant or applicants, and how long he or they have resided in said County of Alameda.
Second: The particular place for which a license is desired.
Third: The name of the owner of the premises.
Fourth: That the applicant or applicants are the only person or persons in any manner interested in the business asked to be licensed, and that no other persons shall be in any way interested therein during the continuance of the permission.
Fifth: Whether or not the applicant or applicants have had a permission or license for the sale of liquors in said Alameda County, during any time preceding his or their present application, revoked.
Sixth: That the applicant or applicants are of good moral character and suitable to conduct such a place. This petition must be verified by affidavit of applicant or applicants, made before the County Clerk, or some authorized Notary Public.
3. Such applicant or applicants shall, at the time of making application for permission to obtain a license, file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a bond in the penal sum of One Thousand ($1000) dollars, with two or more sureties, who shall each be residents of the County of Alameda, and shall each qualify in double the amount of the penal sum of the bond; said bond to be approved by the Board of Supervisors, and conditioned that the said applicant or applicants shall conduct the business for which the license is sought, in a quiet, orderly and reputable manner, and will not permit any breach of the peace or disturbance of the public order or decorum, by any tumultuous, riotous or disorderly conduct upon the premises, and shall not sell, give or furnish any intoxicating liquor, spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine, or any admixture thereof, to any person in a state of intoxication, or addicted to the inordinate use of intoxicating liquors, or to any person under the age of 18 years, or shall allow any person under the age of 18 years, or any intoxicated person to be or remain upon premises where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine is sold, to be drank on the premises, or who sells or gives away any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine between the hour of 12 P. M. and the hour of 5 o'clock the following morning, or who shall not obey and abide by all laws and ordinances now in force, or which may hereafter be enacted regulating the time of closing saloons and places of business where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wine, or any admixture thereof, are sold, or given away, shall forfeit all permits and licenses theretofore issued to said person, firm or corporation, under the provisions of this Ordinance, and also any license that may have been issued to said person, firm or corporation, under the provisions of this Ordinance subsequent to the filing with the Board of Supervisors of the complaint next hereinafter mentioned.
5. Any elector of the said County of Alameda may file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a complaint against any person, firm or corporation whom he has reason to believe is guilty of any of the acts or neglects, specified in subdivision 4 of Section 14 of this Ordinance, which complaint must be in writing, and must specifically set forth any violation or violations by the party complained against, of any of the provisions of said subdivision 4. At the next meeting of the Board after the filing of the said complaint, or if the Board is in session at the time said complaint is filed, the Board shall fix a time for the hearing thereof, and at the time so fixed shall investigate the charges so made in said complaint. Notice of the time so fixed, of at least five days, shall be given to the person, firm or corporation complained against. If, on such investigation the said Board shall find that the said complaint is well founded, and that any charge or charges therein contained, are true, it shall so declare by resolution, and shall by the same resolution, revoke the permit theretofore granted to said person, firm or corporation, and revoke all license theretofore issued to said person, firm or corporation under the provisions of this Ordinance; and said licenses shall thenceforth be without force or effect. Said Board may, also by the same resolution, declare the bond required by subdivision 3 of Section 14 of this Ordinance, given by said person, firm or corporation, forfeited, and direct action to be brought thereon to recover the penalty thereof.
6. The license tax under this section of said Ordinance shall be as follows. For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling or giving away or in any manner furnishing, in any saloon, bar, stand or any other place of business or in any public place within the County of Alameda, and for every person, firm or corporation who sells or offers to sell, or keeps for the purpose of sale, within the said County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, $20 per quarter, payable in advance to the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes, under the provision of

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this Ordinance; provided that druggists and apothecaries shall not be required to obtain a license under the provisions of this Ordinance, for furnishing liquors upon the written prescription of a regularly licensed and registered physician, such liquor in no case to be used or drank upon the premises, nor for supplying alcohol or preparations containing the same, for scientific, mechanical, medical or medicinal purposes, provided, further, that no spirituous, malt or vinous liquors shall be sold or furnished more than once on any one prescription of such physician, and that no physician shall prescribe any intoxicating liquors as a beverage to any person addicted to the inordinate us of intoxicating liquors.
Section 15. Every person, who shall, within the County of Alameda, keep or assist in keeping any saloon, bar, store, dram shop, tippling place, stand or any other place, where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wine is sold or given away without having first procured the permit and license required therefor by the provisions of this Ordinance, or who shall sell or give away within the County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine without having first procured the permit and license required therefor by the provisions of this Ordinance, or after the same may have been revoked by the Board of Supervisors, as in this Ordinance provided; and any person who shall conduct or carry on any business, occupation or calling for which a license tax is required by the provisions of this Ordinance, without having first procured the license required by this Ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.
Section 16. The person charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall have the power to make arrests for the violations of any of the provisions of this Ordinance. The said person so charged by law as aforesaid with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, is also further required to report to the Board of Supervisors monthly the names and locations of the places of business of all persons to whom licenses have been issued during the previous month; also the amounts paid, and the kind of license issued.
Section 17. The Board of Supervisors shall have power to order a free license issued to any person who may apply therefor, whenever in their judgment the same may be necessary to enable any applicant who may be poor and unable to pay his license tax, to earn a livelihood.
Section 18. Every person, firm or corporation receiving a license under this ordinance shall place the same in a conspicuous place in his or its place of business; and all peddlers and other persons who have no fixed place of business must produce and show their license whenever required to any person who may make demand to see the same.
Section 19. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance licensing for purposes of regulation and revenue every kind of lawful business hereinafter specified, transacted or carried on within the corporate limits of the County of Alameda, State of California, and all shows, exhibitions and lawful games carried on therein; fixing rates of license tax upon the same, and providing for the collection thereof," passed by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Alameda, on the 30th day of January, 1893, and all amendments thereof and thereto, and all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed.
Section 20. This Ordinance shall take effect on the 7th day of February, 1896.
Passed January 20th, 1896, by the following called vote, viz:
Ayes—Supervisors Church, Talcott, Pelouze, Johnston, Chairman Bailey. (Seal)
HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Endorsed: Filed, January 20, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.

ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH, MAINTAIN, REGULATE AND GOVERN PUBLIC POUNDS IN THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:
Section 1. Each road district as now established in said county of Alameda shall constitute a Pound District, and there shall be a Poundkeeper for each Pound District, to be appointed by the Board of Supervisors upon petition of at least fifteen qualified electors of the district. Each Pound District shall be known by the name of the road district with which it coincides; thus, the Pound District that coincides with Altamont road district shall be known as Altamont Pound District.
Section 2. Each Poundkeeper, before entering upon the discharge of his duties, shall make and execute a good and sufficient bond, with two or more sureties, in the sum of $250, payable to the said county of Alameda and conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such Poundkeeper.
Section 3. Each Poundkeeper must, at his own charge and expense, erect and maintain a suitable inclosure for the keeping of such animals as may be impounded.
Section 4. It is hereby declared unlawful for any ox, bull, cow, horse, colt, jack, mule, calf, sheep or hog to run at large in said county of Alameda, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns, in said county of Alameda, or to be pastured, or herded, or staked, or tied, for the purpose of grazing, on any highway, public road, public street or public common in said county of Alameda, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns in said county of Alameda; and it shall be unlawful for any animals or stock of any kind to be tied, staked, pastured or to run at large upon any private property in said county of Alameda, outside of incorporated cities and towns, unless by consent of the owner or occupant of such property.
Section 5. The Poundmaster shall take up and impound any of the animals enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance found running at large, staked, tied or being pastured or herded on any highway, public road, public street or public common in said county of Alameda, or found running at large, staked, tied or being herded or pastured upon any private property in said county of Alameda, contrary to the provisions of section 4 of this ordinance.
Section 6. The Poundkeeper shall, within twenty-four hours after the time any animal, enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance, is impounded, as provided by section 5 of this ordinance, cause to be delivered to the owner or keeper of such animal, if known to him, or cause to be left at the usual place of abode of such owner or keeper, a notice in writing, describing the marks, brands and color of the animal impounded, stating the amount of fees and charges incurred and the time of impounding.
Section 7. When the owner or keeper of any animal impounded is not known by the Poundkeeper, the said Poundkeeper shall, within twenty-four hours after the time the said animal is taken up and impounded, post notices in writing, describing the marks, brands and color of the animal impounded, and stating the amount of fees and charges incurred and the time of impounding. Said notices shall be posted by the Poundkeeper in three of the most public places in his Pound District.
Section 8. If the owner, or agent of the owner, of any animal impounded under the provisions of this ordinance, shall refuse or neglect for the period of three days after the said animal is impounded, to pay the penalties, charges and fines herein provided for, the Poundkeeper shall sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder. Such sale can only be made upon at least five days' notice posted in three of the most public places in the Pound District in which said animal is impounded, which said notice shall contain a description of said animal, and shall set forth that the same will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at a time and place to be specified in said notice, and shall also contain a descriptions of the marks, brand and color of the animal to be sold, together with a statement of the amount of penalties and charges due under the provisions of this ordinance and of the time of impounding. If said animal is not reclaimed by the owner, or agent of the owner, before the expiration of the time specified in said notice, the Poundkeeper shall proceed to sell the said animal at the time and place and in the manner specified in said notice.
Section 10. After the payment of the penalties and charges and fines hereinafter in this ordinance provided, the overplus of such sale, if any, shall be paid to the owner of said animal so impounded, under the provisions of this ordinance, upon request, if he, said owner, shall apply for the same within one month from the time of said sale, otherwise said overplus shall be placed in the County Treasury of said county of Alameda, there to await the order of the owner, and shall be paid to said owner by the Treasurer, if he shall apply for the same within twelve months from the day of sale, on his making satisfactory proof that he is entitled to the same, and if no claimant for said overplus appear within the time above specified the same shall be placed in the road fund of the road district wherein said Pound is situated.
Section 11. It shall not be lawful for any person to rescue any animal enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance from the possession of any person who is impounding the same under the provisions of this ordinance, and it shall not be lawful for any person to make any Pound breach, or in any way directly or indirectly convey or deliver any animal out of any Pound without lawful authority, and no person shall wilfully and knowingly resist, delay or obstruct any Poundkeeper in the performance of his duties under this ordinance.
Section 12. The Poundkeeper, or any person impounding any animal under the provisions of this ordinance may retake the same within six days after the same is first impounded in the event that the same is directly or indirectly conveyed or delivered out of the Pound without lawful authority, and may again impound and detain the same and proceed as herein before provided.
Section 13. The Poundkeeper shall daily cause all animals impounded to be provided with food and drink suitable for such animals, and upon neglect so to do, shall be liable to the owner thereof for all damages arising from such neglect.
Section 14. The Poundkeeper shall be entitled to charge and collect of and from the owner of animals impounded under this ordinance the following fee for impounding and keeping the same:
1: For each horse, jack, jennet mule, cow, bull and heifer, $1 for the first day, and 50 cents per day for every day after the first day such animal remains in the Pound.
2: For each swine, goat, suckling calf or colt, 50 cents for the first day and 25 cents for every day after the first day such animal remains in the Pound.
3: For each sheep, 10 cents for the first day and 5 cents for every day after the first day such animal remains in the Pound.

ARTHUR M'EWEN'S LETTER.

How a Powerful Ring of Rich Men Is Quietly at Work Hampering and Defeating All Reforms.

LOTS OF INSTANCES OF DOINGS OF THE CABAL.

A Bad Blow Given to the People by the Knocking-Out of the Election Law.

BLACKMAILERS KEPT BUSY.

Henry Norman of Venezuela Notoriety Is Well Known in This Section.

MORE ABOUT DR. BROWN.

Efforts to Whitewash Him, but Anyhow He Will Have to Leave Town.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 21.—The action of the Supreme Court in declaring unconstitutional the new election commission law, which was drawn in the interest of reform by the Citizens' Defense Association, rejoices the professional politicians and others besides who prefer roguery to fairness in elections. It is the judgment of lawyers that the Supreme Court couldn't have decided otherwise, so defective is the wording of the law, and it is disclosed that the fatal phraseology was inserted after the Defense Association had delivered the bill to an accommodating Legislature. The knowledge that the court is unanimous and had obviously good ground for its judgment goes a long way toward reconciling the public to a restoration of the old partisan supervision of elections. The fact that the law was designed for a good purpose, was much needed and in accordance with common sense made nearly everybody doubtful about its fate at the hands of our highest court. That tribunal has established a reputation for sacrificing the public interest to its own glory, which it is wont to serve by becoming extremely technical in the interpretation of good laws and very literal in the interpretation in the case of bad ones.

It is the simple truth that the people of California have come to fear the Supreme Court. They look upon it, not as the last and best defense of their rights, but as the last and worst of the hurdles to be jumped in the race with wealth and privilege. I do not mean that the judges are suspected of being corrupt. Time was, however, when that suspicion was freely held and expressed. But now nearly all the members have the public's confidence so far as their integrity is concerned. They are distrusted as lawyers more anxious to distinguish themselves as "profound jurists" than as public servants. The temptation to astonish the lay mind by discerning reasons for doing injurious things is very strong to a lawyer anxious to be known as a profound jurist. And in order to prove that it is beyond the influence of "public clamor," the court rises above mere regard for public interests. That motive has a good deal to do with decisions which have surprised and incensed the public. And, I presume, it is also behind much of the work of our United States courts here. Whenever a suit is entered in the matter to which a wealthy corporation is a party, few care to follow its course in the newspapers, for the popular assumption is that the outcome is foreordained. But in the matter of the election commission law, the Supreme Court is unusually fortunate, since the blame for its fatal weakness lies with the Legislature.

The new primary law will probably go next. It is a good law. By providing that primaries shall be held under conditions and penalties that would reduce the opportunities for cheating, it threatens the business of the bosses. That being so, its fate is all but settled. Already a Los Angeles judge has decided that it is unconstitutional, and appearances are that he is right. The Legislature is generally under influences which take care that laws with such objects shall be furnished with a cause to cut their own throats.

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We are not going to get fair primaries, honest elections and deliverance from the bosses without a harder struggle than has been made. A few weeks before this correspondence, in connection with the Brown church scandal, I named the guild of rich men who have grown on the press and courts and pulpits. The bosses represent this guild in politics. The active wealth of San Francisco is hostile to good government. Because a rich man anxious to be a boss is necessarily a scoundrel in his neighbors, he is patriotic in the abstract, but his personal interest first. As a Legislature or Supervisors has power to do what follows that he decides such men as will please the bosses, hence Mayors and Boards of Supervisors, and hence effective opposition to constitutional amendments of government by corruption. The corporations are banded together like so many adventurers in a savage land. The political blackmailer is always hovering near them, ready to shoot, and the instinct of self defense prompts them to act as a unit. They are very powerful, and since the policy of systematic corruption has given them control of the machinery of government, they prefer things as they are to experiments which might be dangerous. Besides, men ambitious of office, even the highest, are more than willing to postpone reform until they have got what they want. The bosses are their instruments of this self protecting wealth and this unscrupulous ambition, and in fighting against change the bosses are fighting for life. So it comes that those who are classed as our very best citizens, the men who own the most property, who speak with the greatest authority, who dominate us socially as well as financially, are the promoters and upholders of a state of things politically that is profoundly criminal. Of course in this San Francisco is not peculiar. As it is here, so it is in every large city in the Union. And the most hopeless feature about it is that the criminal rich feel no sense of criminality. Their view of themselves, ordinarily, is that they are victims of the predatory politicians, for whose existence they are chiefly responsible.

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Henry Norman, the correspondent of the London Chronicle, who has been figuring as an international peacemaker, taking the American side in the Venezuela matter, will hardly stave off war unless he has changed very much since he illumined San Francisco with his presence eight years ago. He was not then a gentleman of the sort calculated to impress statesmen and influence the policies of the great powers. A very well-dressed, light-stepping young man he was, with a pointed beard and his mustache carefully curled in the Mephistophelian fashion. What interested me in him was the information given by several of his former college mates, that shortly after graduating from Harvard he became a Unitarian minister and preached very good sermons indeed. I tried to detect clerical traces in him, but there were none. His appetite for good dinners was excellent. He enjoyed the gayeties of the fast newspaper set, and altogether was one of the boys—though always in his bright, hard eye there was a look which betokened that Mr. Norman never for an instant forgot in the pleasures of the moment the solider interests of Mr. Norman. The experienced San Francisco newspaper man does not readily open his arms to brilliant young gentlemen from London and other far distant points on the earth's surface—young gentlemen who tell of their feats in journalism, apparel themselves sumptuously, understand cookery and are familiar with the different shades of excellence in wines.

Very few journalists anywhere can come honestly by such knowledge and tastes.

Lots of queer characters drift to San Francisco now as in earlier days. It is still a jumping off place. And when an Englishman of education with a good wardrobe and costly habits in food and drink turns up it is commonly safe to classify him as a black sheep, to which the winds of respectability have been unkind at home. If he is a journalist you are warranted in suspecting a mercenary marriage with an actress, a little forgery, perhaps, or crooked card-playing, or some other peculiarity that has deprived him of social position and driven him into a calling for which quick wits rather than regular training fit a man. The type is painfully familiar here: the bright, good-humored, self-indulgent fellow, full of bonhomie, but shrewd and cynical and shallow—half Bohemian, half confidence man. Of course I don't say that the Rev. Mr. Norman was that sort of a person, but he looked it. He did nothing dishonest while here and proved that he was a journalist by his writing, but he did something that embarrassed young Mr. Hearst of the Examiner exceedingly.

The two had dined together repeatedly. The managing editor became fearful that Norman was a candidate for his place, and at the first opportunity drove his jealous sword into him. An amusing story appeared recounting how the Englishman, while out sailing on the bay with a lady of much local renown and no reputation, had, under the double stimulus of champagne and gallantry, dived into the deep when by way of challenge she threw her handkerchief overboard. As Mr. Norman had sunk the Rev. and was knocking about as a newspaper correspondent and man of the world, there was nothing discreditable in this little adventure. It was unfair to put it in print and still more unfair to insinuate that he was not what he asserted himself to be professionally. Mr. Hearst acted promptly. He discharged his managing editor, wrote a note of regret to Mr. Norman, issued orders for an editorial apology and left town. The apology in the Examiner and Mr. Hearst's feeling note in the Chronicle were printed simultaneously, the latter in large, vengeful and triumphant type. That wasn't nice of Mr. Norman. He could hardly pretend to standing as a gentleman here and afterwards got the cold shoulder. So he went to Japan, about which he wrote a book, for he is an industrious man, and later married the young lady who tramped through the Carpathian mountains in breeches and published a volume in celebration of her feat. Mr. Norman loves change and excitement and is an excellent newspaper correspondent, but he is not a heavyweight intellectually or otherwise, and I doubt very much if it will be safe for the United States government to trust very much to his influence with Lord Salisbury in changing that nobleman's views as to the Venezuelan boundary. George Alfred Townsend, I should say, carries a good many more guns in this country (and certainly Gath is not a journalistic battleship) than the adventurous and volatile Norman does in England.

Church people who can measure consequences are appalled at the mess that is being made of the case of the Rev. Dr. Brown. The public convicted him weeks ago on the evidence printed, yet the brethren, clerical and lay, who have been selected to try him, hold back, shuffle, offer prayers for him, and in all ways display reluctance to bring his reverence to book. Indeed, they seem disposed to let Dr. Brown superintend the arrangements for his own trial, both as to time and manner. Meantime Miss Mattie Overman, the co-respondent, remains in the parsonage, under charge of the accused clergyman, and he gaurds her from intercourse with reporters and others, as if he owned her. The impudence of the thing does not appear to have impressed itself upon the brethren, but the worldly marvel and even admire. The girl is necessarily the chief witness against him, and her own letters are in proof of what were the relations between the two. That he should keep the girl in his house and stand guard over her without disguise is audacious enough, but that it should be given out, officially and calmly, that in addition to preparing his own statement, he is assisting her in the composition of hers, which is to explain away the letters, surpasses in cheek anything that desperation has suggested to the doctor since he was found out. It is to the credit of a large proportion of the members of the First Congregational Church that they are in rebellion. They stay away from service and object to the sympathy for Dr. Brown, the extraordinary willingness to accommodate him, exhibited by the men who are to be his judges. It will not surprise should there be an effort at white-washing, but that will do the man no good. Whatever the outcome of the ecclesiastical trial is, Dr. Brown will have to leave his church and San Francisco. The feeling against him extends to other churches than his own, for sensible men and women of the congregations understand what a blow this scandal has been to religion. They also understand that the excessive tenderness shown Brown by his deacons and brother preachers has done a world of harm that might have been prevented. Women are especially disgusted with this erring minister, for in addition to what has been printed much private history of his affairs is floating about, and it is apparent that Dr. Brown, besides being extremely sinful, had no taste whatever. The crowd of females with whom he got himself entangled prove to have been a very low and very hard crowd indeed.

One of the clergymen who is to be of the court, and who has in interviews evinced an inclination to acquit Brown in advance, is himself on the edge of a precipice. I have seen a letter, properly signed, accusing him of having scared and horrified one of the sisters of his church by his conduct. She called on him in his study for advice, and, at parting, her pastor seized both her hands and kissed her. She made her escape. This story is in possession of the newspapers, but as the lady declines to see reporters and wants no publicity it has not been used. Unless she should show a readiness to come out and confirm what she has told her friends, the clergyman will be allowed to take his seat in the church tribunal and do his friend Dr. Brown good service. He is an old preacher, too, and highly respected. It would take very straight proof to make his congregation believe that he is a sinner. The public of course is incapable just now of being astonished or shocked by anything in the way of such revelations. As I heard it remarked the other day, by a scoffer, "It is as much as any man's character is worth to be a preacher in San Francisco at present."

ARTHUR McEWEN.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The good news comes from Oakland that Mayor Davie has not been read out of the Populist party. Should he be fired there would not be much to quarrel over, and that would disrupt the organization quicker than anything else. —Alameda Argus.

The Baron Baroteau of Oakland asks for a divorce from the Baroness because she drinks too much liquor, dances the skirt dance and turns the hose on his baronial person. The first counts in the indictment may be considered prerogatives of royalty, but the hose act would appear to be going a little too far, even in the wide latitude allowed for the eccentricity of rank and blue blood. If the Baron can prove the latter charge, he ought to have his divorce.—Stockton Independent.

We wish our worthy Health Officer, Dr. John T. McLean, God speed and good luck on his trip to Washington; and may he return to us with victory inscribed upon his banner. The doctor is certainly thoroughly posted regarding the harbor and tidal canal matters, and that he will be an able and earnest advocate in behalf of the people of Alameda and Oakland goes without saying.—Alameda Encinal.

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Next Monday and Tuesday evenings Schillings' Minstrels will give two performances at the Macdonough at popular prices.

Lew Spencer and Charley Schilling will take care of the outside ends. Mr. Spencer will sing a very funny song entitled "I Wish I Were a Bird," and Mr. Schilling will sing "I Wonder If They Are." "Gaily The Troubadour," introducing Messrs. Spencer, Carroll and Nealy, is a fitting and laughing finale to the first part.

The second part is opened in fine style by Kinzo, the wonderful Japanese equilibrist, in a series of surprising feats in juggling, followed by Frank Hammond, the droll comedian, in a funny monologue act, "The India Rubber Twins." Carroll and Nealy, the funny knockabout song and dance men, Charley Schilling, everybody's favorite, introducing his musical act, "The Trocadero Quartette," in an original sketch entitled "The Telephone Agent."

The programme will close with the wonderful European acrobats, Brothers La Rose, who will introduce their great passing somersault, a feat accomplished by no other acrobatic team in the world.

COMING EVENTS.

It is promised that the presentation of "In Old Kentucky," which is announced for February 3d, 4th and 5th, will eclipse even its immense success last season. A popular matinee will be given on Wednesday.

Louis James follows the same week, February 6th, 7th and 8th, presenting his entire repertoire. He will also play a matinee Saturday.

For Monday, February 10th, the reappearance of the Frawley Company is announced in a special production of the great play "Men and Women." The occasion is a testimonial benefit tendered to Manager Charles E. Cook. The high reputation of the players and the popularity of the beneficiary will attract a crowded house. Tickets are now on sale at the box office.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Managers Collins and Waldron have in store for next week a mammoth revival of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," without question the most lasting and popular play of the American stage. A splendid production is promised. The cast will include Jennie Calef as "Chloe" and "Topsy," Annie Mifflin, Mamie Axtell, Anna Daly, Mabel Carlton, Andy Waldron as "Marks," Norval McGregor as "George Harris;" George Hermance as "Uncle Tom;" Frank Cleaves as "Simon Legree" and Phineas Fletcher, with eight other performers to fill the cast. A feature will be the celebrated Hicks-Sawyer Quartette, and also the Sunset Team in buck and wing dancing. The scenic effects will be fully equal to the splendid cast.

THE CALIFORNIA.

The splendid success of "In Old Kentuck" last season is being repeated at the California. Packed houses have been the rule and the coming week shows signs of no abatement in the attendance.

THE COLUMBIA.

The first productions of De Mille and Belasco's masterpiece "Men and Women" will mark the week commencing Monday night at the Columbia Theater. The Frawley Company has been especially strengthened for the occasion. Twenty-six people are in the cast. The play deals with the inner workings of a bank. The trials of a trusted cashier, a threatened panic and a series of intensely dramatic incidents form features of the play. It will be a banner week for the company.

THE ORPHEUM.

The programme at the Orpheum is unusually bright and the star attraction is Rachael Walker, the creole nightingale, who is the musical sensation of the week. The De Vans and De Witts are female teams whose acts are very novel. The bill throughout is thoroughly entertaining.

MOROSCO'S.

"The Editor," a successful comedy-drama by Vincent and Aldrich, will be the card next week at Morosco's. It deals with a love story, involving a plot of keen interest. Life in an Arizona newspaper office is a feature of the play.

THE TIVOLI.

"Ixion" loses nothing in its popularity. The run of this beautiful opera has been phenomenal and Tivoli audiences test the capacity of the house nightly.

THE ALCAZAR.

"A Canting Scoundrel" is the sensational title of a play the Grovers will present next week. The reputation of the Grovers insures an entertaining production.

WIDEN THE ROAD.

A San Leandro Pioneer on the Recent Electric Road Trouble.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Allow one who, after regularly paying his half a dollar ferry fare from San Francisco to San Antonio, used to stick on the bar occasionally for hours on board of Larue's ferry boat Contra Costa, and then stick in the mud along the San Leandro road on board the coaches of "Charlie" McLaughlin, "Dunk" Cameron and "Jim" Linfoot (fare, four bits), and arrive weary and bedraggled at his home in the old county seat several hours after leaving the other side of the bay, to say a word in the Tribune about the present situation. Keeping to the front with the discoveries, inventions and progress of the times, five enterprising gentlemen of this county, four of them Native Sons, to the manner born, incorporated and gave us a "poor man's palace car" to ride in, and in connection with the magnificent ferry service, made the regular trip to San Francisco a "pleasure trip" and our town a suburb of the great metropolis.

These young men were among the first to see electricity to be the coming driving power. They saw, too, that to build a trolley railway from Oakland to Haywards would be a good investment for themselves, and a great benefit to the locality. This much to prepare the way to say a word or two as to the trouble at San Leandro last Wednesday. It all happened because the street is not wide enough, now that a double track is wanted. In San Leandro, perhaps, the remedy lies in using two streets for the track, instead of one. But the whole distance from Fruitvale to the San Lorenzo junction, at least, is no longer a "county road," but in fact a street, should be widened to one hundred feet or provision made for doing so.

The trolley car has come to stay. It is a horseless vehicle (wagon) and has as much right upon the highways and streets as any other vehicle. This right is now practically conceded everywhere. It cannot, to be sure, observe the rule of the road to keep to the right. It must follow its track, but any inconvenience from this can be avoided by putting the tracks in the middle of the street and the common wagon roads on each side of the tracks. One hundred feet would give ample room for this and for pedestrian sidewalks and ways for the bicycle, as that horseless vehicle has come to stay too. Here we are at the very door of the commercial metropolis of the coast, and one of the principal of the world, and the San Leandro road is the greatest highway leading to it. Recognizing these facts, the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway people, who have most certainly done a great work for the locality, should be met in a dispassionate spirit of fairness by the property owners along the line and other interested parties, and their interests, which are clearly mutual, be amicably adjusted. With a one hundred foot street, as here suggested, the value of the property along it would be enhanced greatly immediately, and eventually become very valuable. The widening would of course be done by due process of law, as in the case of widening, or altering any other road or street. PIONEER.

San Leandro, Jan. 24, 1896.

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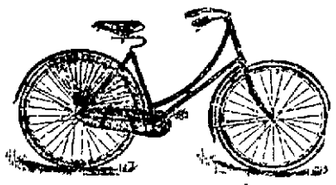
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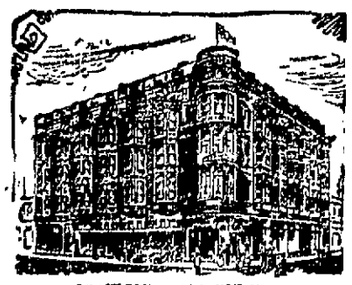

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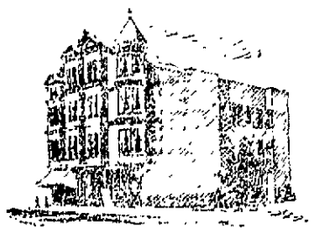

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PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the Estate of Mary Letford, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary Letford, deceased, and for the issuance to James Letford of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of February, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, January 24, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Shook & Church, attorneys for petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF JEFFERSON MAURY, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the last will of Jefferson Maury, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix at her residence, at No. 1317 Shattuck avenue, in Berkeley, Alameda county, California, the same being her place of business for the transaction of the business of the said estate.
ADELAIDE C. MAURY,
Executrix of the last will of Jefferson Maury, deceased.
Dated at Berkeley, January 11th, 1896.

LEGAL.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of Frank Hawthorne, an insolvent debtor.
Order of adjudication of insolvency.
Frank Hawthorne having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Frank Hawthorne is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that the Sheriff of the County of Alameda, be and he is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal of the said Frank Hawthorne, insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate.
All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda in open court at the Court Room of said Court, in the County of Alameda, on the 27th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered, that in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent be stayed.
Dated January 18, A. D. 1896.
W. E. GREENE,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Endorsed: Filed January 18, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. Sinclair, Deputy Clerk.
Frederick C. Clift, attorney for Insolvent.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of T. J. Fish, insolvent debtor.
T. J. Fish having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said T. J. Fish is hereby declared to be insolvent.
The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.
All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.
The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.
It is further ordered that all the creditors of said debtor who claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 27th day of January, 1896, be and appear before the Hon. John Ellsworth, Judge of the Superior Court, of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Court Room of said Court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 27th day of January, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.
And it is further ordered that in the meantime all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.
Dated January 18th, 1896.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.
L. D. Manning, attorney for petitioner.
Endorsed: Filed January 18, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. Cal Ewing, Deputy Clerk.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain Deed of Trust, duly executed by Howard Black and Kate E. Black, his wife, parties of the first part, Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, parties of the second part, and The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, party of the third part, dated October 7th, 1893, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 506 of Deeds, at page 41, and following, and in pursuance of a resolution passed on the 15th day of January, 1896, by the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of said The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California, a Corporation, and the holder of the note (Loan No. 9630), to secure payment of which the aforesaid Deed of Trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the principal sum and other sums, due under said note and Deed of Trust, and requesting and directing said Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, to sell the real estate described therein, to satisfy said indebtedness,
We, Samuel M. Marks and Robert J. Davis, Trustees, do hereby give notice, that on Monday the 17th day of February, A. D. 1896 at two (2) o'clock P. M. of that day, and at the Auction Sales Room of William J. Dingee, No. 460-462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, State of California, we will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in Gold Coin of the United States, all that piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the land conveyed by Howard Black to Edgar W. Chapin by deed dated January 6th, 1891, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, in Liber 425 of Deeds, page 13, being on the dividing line between plots Nos. 26 and 31 hereinafter mentioned and distant on said dividing line 10.32 chains east of the center line of County Road 1529 and running thence easterly along said dividing line between plots Nos. 30 and 31, 40.17 chains, thence north 25 chains 48 links, thence west 40 chains 18 links to the easterly line of the land conveyed to said Chapin by deed dated November 1st, 1892, recorded in the office of said Recorder, in Liber 487 of deeds, page 253, and thence southerly along said easterly line of said land so conveyed to Chapin by said two deeds, 25 chains 48 links to the point of commencement, containing 102½ acres of land, more or less, and being a portion of plot No. 26 as laid down and delineated on the map of the Rancho El Valle de San Jose, affixed to the Referee's Report in the case of Bernal versus Bernal for portion of said Rancho.
Together with the appurtenances.
Terms of Sale—Cash in Gold Coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer; balance on delivery of deed; and if not so paid, unless for want of title (ten days being allowed for search), then said ten per cent to be forfeited, and the sale to be void. Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.
SAMUEL M. MARKS,
ROBERT J. DAVIS,
Trustees.
Dated January 22, 1896.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF ALBERT HOPKEN, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Albert Hopken, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the law office of Reed and Nusbaumer, S. E. corner Ninth and Broadway streets, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Albert Hopken, deceased.
MARIE C. HOPKEN,
Administratrix of the estate of Albert Hopken, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, January 3, 1896.
Reed & Nusbaumer, attorneys for administratrix.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Oakland Street Railroad Company will be held on Tuesday, February 4th, 1896, at No. 468 Ninth street, Oakland, Cal., at the hour of 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing term.
W. P. MELVIN,
Secretary East Oakland Street R. R. Co.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.
To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3716 of the Political Code of the State of California.
Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes, as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:
The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.
And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.
Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.
And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3716 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.
Dated at Oakland, California, this 12th day of October, 1895.
JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, made October 28th, 1895, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the treasurer of said county at the Hall of Records of said county, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 1st day of February, 1896, for the purchase of three bonds of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each of Newark School District of Alameda County; at which said time said proposals will be opened and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash in United States gold coin, subject to the provisions hereinafter set forth. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Section 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of the Board of Supervisors of said county passed October 23, 1895, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable on the first day of February of each year, on the seventh class and from the Building Fund of said Newark School District upon presentation and surrender to the treasurer of said county of the interest coupons.
Said bonds are to be numbered consecutively one to three inclusive and are to mature as follows, to wit:
Bond numbered One, one year from date.
Bond numbered Two, two years from date.
Bond numbered Three, three years from date.
Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said bonds up to three. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for and accompanied by a certified check or cash deposit in the sum of at least 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Newark School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of the bid, and be forfeited to the Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bond or bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.
Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders for cash in United States gold coin subject to the above provisions.
All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Newark School District, care O. M. Sanford, Treasurer of Alameda County," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."
P. FALK,
JULIUS WILDERMUTH,
C. G. HEALY, Clerk.
Trustees Newark School District, Alameda County, California.
Dated December 28, 1895.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Mary S. Schofield, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with the will annexed.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary S. Schofield, deceased, and for the issuance to H. S. Hasellne of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4, of said Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.
Dated, January 13, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
Indorsed, filed January 13, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
W. G. Mettler, attorney for petitioner, Mills building, San Francisco, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of J. M. D. Green, deceased.
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of J. M. D. Green deceased, and for the issuance to Wm. H. Knight of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court and that Monday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, January 15, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed January 15, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. Adams, Deputy Clerk.
Gibson & Waltmore, attorneys for petitioner.

LEGAL.

ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE LICENSING FOR PURPOSES OF REGULATION AND REVENUE, EVERY KIND OF LAWFUL BUSINESS, HEREINAFTER SPECIFIED, TRANSACTED OR CARRIED ON WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND ALL SHOWS, EXHIBITIONS AND LAWFUL GAMES CARRIED ON THEREIN; FIXING RATES OF LICENSE TAX UPON THE SAME AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in carrying on, pursuing or transacting within the County of Alameda, any occupation, business or calling, hereinafter specified, must procure a license and pay a license tax therefor, as hereinafter provided. Said license tax must be paid in advance to the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance. Separate licenses must be procured, and the separate license tax paid for each branch, establishment, or separate house of business located in said county.
Section 2. License taxes shall be collected at the rate in this Ordinance prescribed from the taking effect of this Ordinance provided that nothing in this Ordinance contained shall affect the validity of any license issued before the taking effect of this Ordinance; provided, however, that if any person, firm or corporation shall engage in, carry on or transact any business or occupation without having first procured the license in this Ordinance prescribed, there shall immediately become due and payable the entire license tax for the period for which the tax is in this Ordinance fixed.
Section 3. The Auditor must keep a ledger, in which he must keep the collectors' account of all licenses delivered to him, sold or returned unsold by him.
Section 4. The persons charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, must make diligent inquiry as to all persons liable to pay license tax, as provided in this Ordinance, and in all cases where the amount of license to be paid by any person, firm or corporation, is based upon the amount of receipts of sales affected, or business transacted, such person, firm or corporation shall render a sworn statement in writing to the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, made before some officer authorized to administer oaths, of the total amount of receipts, sales made, or business done by said person, firm or corporation respectively, during the three months next preceding the expiration of the last license, which statement shall determine the amount for which such license shall be issued or renewed; and thereupon such person, firm or corporation must procure a license from the County of Alameda, for the term desired; and the class for which said party is liable to pay, and in all cases, where an under estimate has been made by the party appearing, the party making such estimate, or the person, firm or corporation he represents, are required to pay for a license for the next quarter, double the sum otherwise required; and the said person so charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, is hereby authorized to bring suit against any person, firm or corporation, liable to pay license tax, who fails, neglects or refuses to pay the proper license tax, or who carries on, or attempts to carry on, business without first paying said license tax, for the recovery of said tax.
Section 5. On the first Monday in each month the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes under the provisions of this ordinance must return to the Auditor all licenses unsold, and be credited therewith; and must pay into the County Treasury, for the use of the County General Fund, all moneys collected for licenses sold during the preceding month.
Section 6. Auctioneers are divided into eight classes, and must obtain licenses from the said County of Alameda, as follows: Those whose average monthly sales amount to $100,000 and upwards, constitute the first class, and must pay a license tax of $200 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $75,000 and less than $100,000 constitute the second class, and must pay a license tax of $150 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $50,000 and less than $75,000, constitute the third class, and must pay a license tax of $100 per quarter, those whose monthly sales amount to $30,000 and less than $50,000, constitute the fourth class, and must pay a license tax of $75 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to $20,000, and less than $30,000, constitute the fifth class, and must pay a license tax of $50 per quarter; those whose monthly sales amount to $10,000 and less than $20,000, constitute the sixth class and must pay a license tax of $50 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to $2,500 and less than $10,000 constitute the seventh class, and must pay a license tax of $25 per quarter; those whose average monthly sales amount to less than $2500, constitute the eighth class, and must pay a license tax of $7 50 per quarter.
Section 7. Licenses must be obtained for the purposes hereinafter named, and payment must be made as follows:
No. 1: Proprietors of billiard or pool tables, not kept exclusively for family use, for each table $1 per quarter.
No. 2. For a bowling alley, $1 per quarter.
No. 3: For each exhibition, for pay, of a caravan or menagerie, or any collection of animals, circus, or any acrobatic performance, $25.
No. 4. For each show, for pay, of any figures, jugglers, necromancers, magicians, wire or rope dancers, or slight of hand exhibition, $5 each day.
No. 5: For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of expressing, transmitting or conveying goods, wares or general merchandise of every kind and description, by wagons or vehicles drawn by horses or mules, $15 per quarter.
Section 8. Every person engaged in the business of a pawnbroker must pay a license tax of $20 per quarter.
Section 9. Every traveling merchant, hawker or peddler, who vends goods, wares, or merchandise of any kind (other than his own manufacture, or agricultural, viticultural, ranch of farm produce or butchers' meat or fish), must pay a license tax of $10 per quarter; unless he uses a wagon or one or more animals for the purpose of vending such goods, wares or merchandise, in which case he must pay a license tax of $15 per quarter; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to bona fide merchants of said Alameda County who have fixed places of business, and who supply goods, wares or merchandise to other merchants or dealers within said county, who, also, have fixed places of business.
Section 10. Every person who keeps a stallion, jack or bull and who permits the same to be used for the purpose of propagation, for hire, must obtain a license therefor, and pay therefor as follows:
No. 1: Horses that are hired for the purpose of propagation for the season at $100 or more constitute the first class, and require a license of $75 per year.
No. 2: At $75, and less than $100, constitute the second class, and require a license of $60 per year.
No. 3: At $50, and less than $75, constitute the third class, and require a license of $40 per year.
No. 4. At $20, and less than $50, constitute the fourth class, and require a license of $25 per year.
No. 5: At less than $20, constitute the fifth class, and require a license of $15 per year; for each jack, $15 per year; for each bull, $10 per year.
Section 11. In any action brought under or arising out of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, the fact that a party represented himself or herself as engaged in any business or employment, for the transaction for which a license is by this Ordinance required, or that such party exhibited a sign indicating such business or employment, shall be prima facie evidence of the liability of such party to pay license.
Section 12. The conviction and punishment of any person for transacting any business without a license, shall not excuse or exempt such person from the payment of any license due or unpaid at the time of such conviction.
Section 13. The provisions of this Ordinance shall not be construed as requiring the payment of any License Tax or the procuring of any license for any exhibition or entertainment given for the benefit of any church, school, or other charitable object, by any amateur dramatic association, or literary society of the town or district in which such exhibition or entertainment is given.
Section 14. It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to establish, open, keep, maintain or carry on within the County of Alameda, any saloon, bar, store, dram shop, tippling place, stand or any place where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, are sold or given away; or for any person, firm or corporation (except as hereinafter provided), to sell within the limits of the County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof without having the permission and license therefor as in this Section of said Ordinance provided.
No. 1: No license issued under any of the provisions of this Section of said Ordinance shall be assignable or transferable without the consent of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors endorsed thereon, and only to such person, firm or corporation as have obtained from the Board of Supervisors the permission hereinafter required, and having filed a bond as hereinafter provided, and complied in all other respects with the requirements of this Ordinance.
No. 2: No person, firm or corporation shall have issued to him or them the license required by this section of said Ordinance, unless such person, firm or corporation, be of good moral character, and first obtain permission as provided herein, by making application in writing to the Board of Supervisors at a meeting thereof, for permission to obtain the license herein required and shall file with said application a written recommendation signed by not less than five out of ten of the citizens of the County of Alameda, residing nearest the place where the applicant or applicants propose to carry on the said business, each of whom must be a freeholder, and the "head of the family," as that term is defined by Section 1261 of the Civil Code of the State of California.
The application in writing herein required shall contain and set forth:
First: The name and residence of the applicant or applicants, and how long he or they have resided in said County of Alameda.
Second: The particular place for which a license is desired.
Third. The name of the owner of the premises.
Fourth: That the applicant or applicants are the only person or persons in any manner interested in the business asked to be licensed, and that no other persons shall be in any way interested therein during the continuance of the permission.
Fifth: Whether or not the applicant or applicants have had a permission or license for the sale of liquors in said Alameda County, during any time preceding his or their present application, revoked.
Sixth: That the applicant or applicants are of good moral character and suitable to conduct such a place. This petition must be verified by affidavit of applicant or applicants, made before the County Clerk, or some authorized Notary Public.
3. Such applicant or applicants shall, at the time of making application for permission to obtain a license, file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a bond in the penal sum of One Thousand ($1000) dollars, with two or more sureties, who shall each be residents of the County of Alameda, and shall each qualify in double the amount of the penal sum of the bond; said bond to be approved by the Board of Supervisors, and conditioned that the said applicant or applicants shall conduct the business for which the license is sought, in a quiet, orderly and reputable manner, and will not permit any breach of the peace or disturbance of the public order or decorum, by any tumultuous, riotous or disorderly conduct upon the premises, and shall not sell, give or furnish any intoxicating liquor, spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine, or any admixture thereof, to any person in a state of intoxication, or addicted to the inordinate use of intoxicating liquors, or to any person under the age of 18 years, or who shall allow any person under the age of 18 years, or any intoxicated person to be or remain upon premises where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine is sold, to be drank on the premises, or who sells or gives away any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine between the hour of 12 o'clock P. M., and the hour of 5 o'clock of the following morning; and that said applicant or applicants shall obey and abide by all laws and Ordinances now in force, or which may hereafter be enacted, regulating the time of closing saloons and places of business where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof are sold. Said application and recommendation, after the approval of said bond, shall be immediately referred to the Judiciary Committee for investigation, who shall report the result thereof to the Board of Supervisors at the meeting following, and at any time before said last named meeting, or at said meeting, and before final action upon any application, any resident or residents of the County voting precinct where said applicant or applicants desire to conduct such business, may file with said Board, or with the Clerk thereof, petitions in favor of, or remonstrances against the granting of such permission, and it shall be the duty of said Board of Supervisors, before taking final action upon any application, to consider all such petitions, and in all cases to decide impartially as to the necessity or needlessness of such permission for the accommodation, peace or good order of the public, according to the number, character and standing of the petitioners for, and remonstrance against such permission. If, after considering all the matters aforesaid, the Board shall find that the applicant or applicants are proper persons to carry on said business, and that the carrying on of said business, at the place where the same is proposed to be carried on, will not be prejudicial to the public good, said Board may, by resolution, grant the required permit, which permit shall remain in force not more than one year from the date of the same; and be good only for the person, firm or corporation, and place named therein.
4. Any person, firm or corporation, to whom such a permit has been granted, who does not conduct the business for which such permit has been granted, in a quiet, orderly and reputable manner, or who permits any breach of the peace, or disturbance of the public order or decorum, by any tumultuous, riotous or disorderly conduct upon the premises, or who sells, gives or furnishes any intoxicating liquor, spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine, or any admixture thereof, to any person in a state of intoxication, or addicted to the inordinate use of intoxicating liquors, or to any person under the age of 18 years, or who shall allow any person under the age of 18 years, or any intoxicated person to be or remain upon premises where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine is sold, to be drank on the premises, or who sells or gives away any spirituous, malt or fermented liquor or wine between the hour of 12 P. M. and the hour of 5 o'clock the following morning, or who shall not obey and abide by all laws and ordinances now in force, or which may hereafter be enacted regulating the time of closing saloons and places of business where spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wine, or any admixture thereof, are sold or given away, shall forfeit all permits and licenses theretofore issued to said person, firm or corporation, under the provisions of this Ordinance, and also any license that may have been issued to said person, firm or corporation, under the provisions of this Ordinance subsequent to the filing with the Board of Supervisors of the complaint next hereinafter mentioned.
5. Any elector of the said County of Alameda may file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors a complaint against any person, firm or corporation whom he has reason to believe is guilty of any of the acts or neglects, specified in subdivision 4 of Section 14 of this Ordinance, which complaint must be in writing, and must specifically set forth any violation or violations by the party complained against, of any of the provisions of said subdivision 4. At the next meeting of the Board after the filing of the said complaint, or if the Board is in session at the time said complaint is filed, the Board shall fix a time for the hearing thereof, and at the time so fixed shall investigate the charges so made in said complaint. Notice of the time so fixed, of at least five days, shall be given to the person, firm or corporation complained against. If, on such investigation the said Board shall find that the said complaint is well founded, and that any charge or charges therein contained, are true, it shall so declare by resolution, and shall by the same resolution, revoke the permit theretofore granted to said person, firm or corporation, and revoke all licenses theretofore issued to said person, firm or corporation under the provisions of this Ordinance; and said licenses shall thenceforth be without force or effect. Said Board may also by the same resolution, declare the bond required by subdivision 3 of Section 14 of this ordinance, given by said person, firm or corporation, forfeited, and direct action to be brought thereon to recover the penalty thereof.
6. The license tax under this section of said Ordinance shall be as follows. For every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling or giving away or in any manner furnishing, in any saloon, bar, stand or any other place of business or in any public place within the County of Alameda, and for every person, firm or corporation who sells or offers to sell or keeps for the purpose of sale, within the said County of Alameda, any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wines, or any admixture thereof, $20 per quarter, payable in advance to the person charged by law with the duty of collecting license taxes, under the provision of this Ordinance, provided that druggists and apothecaries shall not be required to obtain a license under the provisions of this Ordinance, for furnishing liquors upon the written prescription of a regularly licensed and registered physician, such liquor in no case to be used or drank upon the premises, nor for supplying alcohol or preparations containing the same, for scientific, mechanical, medical or medicinal purposes, provided, further, that no spirituous, malt or vinous liquors shall be sold or furnished more than once on any one prescription of such physician, and that no physician shall prescribe any intoxicating liquors as a beverage to any person addicted to the habitual use of intoxicating liquors.
Section 15. Every person, who shall, within the County of Alameda, keep or assist in keeping any saloon, bar, store, dram shop, tippling place, stand or any other place, where any spirituous, malt or fermented liquors or wine is sold or given away without having first procured the permit and license required therefor by the provisions of this Ordinance, or who shall sell or give away within the County of Alameda, any spirituous malt or fermented liquor or wine without having first procured the permit and license required therefor by the provisions of this Ordinance, or after the same may have been revoked by the Board of Supervisors as in this Ordinance provided; and any person who shall conduct or carry on any business, occupation or calling for which a license tax is required by the provisions of this Ordinance, without having first procured the license required by this Ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.
Section 16. The person charged by law with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, shall have the power to make arrests for the violations of any of the provisions of this Ordinance. The said person so charged by law as aforesaid with the collection of license taxes under the provisions of this Ordinance, is also further required to report to the Board of Supervisors monthly the names and locations of the places of business of all persons to whom licenses have been issued during the previous month, also the amounts paid, and the kind of license issued.
Section 17. The Board of Supervisors shall have power to order a free license issued to any person who may apply therefor, whenever in their judgment the same may be necessary to enable any applicant who may be poor and unable to pay his license tax, to earn a livelihood.
Section 18. Every person, firm or corporation receiving a license under this ordinance shall place the same in a conspicuous place in his or its place of business; and all peddlers and other persons who have no fixed place of business must produce and show their license whenever required to any person who may make demand to see the same.
Section 19. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance licensing for purposes of regulation and revenue every kind of lawful business hereinafter specified, transacted or carried on within the corporate limits of the County of Alameda, State of California and all shows, exhibitions and lawful games carried on therein, fixing rates of license tax upon the same, and providing for the collection thereof, passed by the Board of Supervisors of the said County of Alameda, on the 20th day of January, 1893, and all amendments thereof and thereto, and all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed.
Section 20. This Ordinance shall take effect on the 7th day of February, 1896.
Passed January 20th, 1896, by the following called vote, viz:
Ayes—Supervisors Church, Talcott, Delouze, Johnston, Chairman Bailey.
(Seal) HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Endorsed: Filed, January 20, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.

ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH, MAINTAIN, REGULATE AND GOVERN PUBLIC POUNDS IN THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Each road district as now established in said county of Alameda shall constitute a Pound District, and there shall be a Poundkeeper for each Pound District, to be appointed by the Board of Supervisors upon petition of at least fifteen qualified electors of the district. Each Pound District shall be known by the name of the road district with which it coincides; thus, the Pound District that coincides with Altamont road district shall be known as Altamont Pound District.
Section 2. Each Poundkeeper, before entering upon the discharge of his duties, shall make and execute a good and sufficient bond, with two or more sureties, in the sum of $250, payable to the said county of Alameda and conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties as such Poundkeeper.
Section 3. Each Poundkeeper must, at his own charge and expense, erect and maintain a suitable inclosure for the keeping of such animals as may be impounded.
Section 4. It is hereby declared unlawful for any ox, bull, cow, horse, colt, jack, mule, calf, sheep or hog to run at large in said county of Alameda, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns, in said county of Alameda, or to be pastured, or herded, or staked, or tied, for the purpose of grazing, on any highway, public road, public street or public common in said county of Alameda, outside of the corporate limits of incorporated cities and towns in said county of Alameda; and it shall be unlawful for any animals of any kind to be tied, staked, pastured or to run at large upon any private property in said county of Alameda, outside of incorporated cities and towns, unless by consent of the owner or occupant of such property.
Section 5. The Poundmaster shall take up and impound any of the animals enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance found running at large, staked, tied or being pastured or herded on any highway, public road, public street or public common in said county of Alameda, or found running at large, staked, tied or being herded or pastured upon any private property in said county of Alameda, contrary to the provisions of section 4 of this ordinance.
Section 6. The Poundkeeper shall, within twenty-four hours after the time any animal, enumerated in section 4 of this ordinance, is impounded, as provided by section 5 of this ordinance, cause to be delivered to the owner or keeper of such animal, if known to him, or cause to be left at the usual place of abode of such owner or keeper, a notice in writing, describing the marks, brands and color of the animal impounded, stating the amount of fees and charges incurred and the time of impounding.
Section 7. When the owner or keeper of any animal impounded is not known by the Poundkeeper, the said Poundkeeper shall, within twenty-four hours after the time the said animal is taken up and impounded, post notices in writing, describing the marks, brands and color of the animal impounded, and stating the amount of fees and charges incurred and the time of impounding. Said notices shall be posted by the Poundkeeper in three of the most public places in his Pound District.
Section 8. If the owner, or agent of the owner, of any animal impounded under the provisions of this ordinance, shall pay the penalty, charges and fines hereinafter provided for, the animal impounded shall forthwith be discharged from the Pound of the district in which the same is impounded.
Section 9. If the owner, or agent of the owner, of any animal impounded under the provisions of this ordinance shall refuse or neglect for the period of three days after the said animal is impounded, to pay the penalties, charges and fines herein provided for, the Poundkeeper shall sell the same at public auction to the highest bidder. Such sale can only be made upon at least five days' notice posted in three of the most public places in the Pound District in which said animal is impounded, which said notice shall contain a full description of said animal, and shall set forth that the same will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at a time and place to be specified in said notice, and shall also contain a descriptions of the marks, brand and color of the animal to be sold, together with a statement of the amount of penalties and charges due under the provisions of this ord

ARTHUR M'EWEN'S LETTER.

How a Powerful Ring of Rich Men Is Quietly at Work Hampering and Defeating All Reforms.

LOTS OF INSTANCES OF DOINGS OF THE CABAL.

A Bad Blow Given to the People by the Knocking-Out of the Election Law.

BLACKMAILERS KEPT BUSY.

Henry Norman of Venezuela Notoriety Is Well Known in This Section.

MORE ABOUT DR. BROWN.

Efforts to Whitewash Him, but Anyhow He Will Have to Leave Town.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 24.—The action of the Supreme Court in declaring unconstitutional the new election commission law, which was drawn in the interest of reform by the Citizens' Defense Association, rejoices the professional politicians and others besides who prefer roguery to fairness in elections. It is the judgment of lawyers that the Supreme Court couldn't have decided otherwise, so defective is the wording of the law, and it is disclosed that the fatal phraseology was inserted after the Defense Association had delivered the bill to an accommodating legislature. The knowledge that the court is unanimous and had obviously good ground for its judgment goes a long way toward reconciling the public to a restoration of the old partisan supervision of elections. The fact that the law was designed for a good purpose was much needed and in accordance with common sense made nearly everybody doubtful about its fate at the hands of our highest court. That tribunal has established a reputation for sacrificing the public interest to its own glory, which it is wont to serve by becoming extremely technical in the interpretation of good laws and very literal in the interpretation in the case of bad ones.

It is the simple truth that the people of California have come to fear the Supreme Court. They look upon it, not as the last and best defense of their rights, but as the last and worst of the hurdles to be jumped in the race with wealth and privilege. I do not mean that the judges are suspected of being corrupt. Time was, however, when that suspicion was freely held and expressed. But now nearly all the members have the public's confidence so far as their integrity is concerned. They are distrusted as lawyers more anxious to distinguish themselves as "profound jurists" than as public servants. The temptation to astonish the lay mind by discerning reasons for doing injurious things is very strong to a lawyer ambitious to be known as a profound jurist. And in order to prove that it is beyond the influence of "public clamor," the court rises above mere regard for public interests. That motive has a good deal to do with decisions which have surprised and incensed the public. And, I presume, it is also behind much of the work of our United States courts here. Whenever a suit is entered in the latter to which a wealthy corporation is a party, few care to follow its course in the newspapers, for the popular assumption is that the outcome is foreordained. But in the matter of the election commission law, the Supreme Court is unusually fortunate, since the blame for its fatal weakness lies with the Legislature.

The new primary law will probably go next. It is a good law. By providing that primaries shall be held under conditions and penalties that would reduce the opportunities for cheating, it threatens the business of the bosses. That being so, its fate is all but settled. Already a Los Angeles judge has decided that it is unconstitutional, and the chances are that he is right. The Legislature is generally under influences which take care that laws with such objects shall be furnished with a knife to cut their own throats.

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We are not going to get fair primaries, honest elections and deliverance from the bosses without a harder struggle than has been made. A few weeks ago in this correspondence, in connection with the Brown church scandal, I spoke of the guild of rich men who have their grip on the press and courts and public. The bosses represent this guild in politics. The active wealth of San Francisco is hostile to good government. Not because a rich man anxious to make richer is necessarily a scoundrel or his neighbors, he is patriotic in the abstract, but his personal interest first. As a Legislature supervisors has power to [illegible] it follows that he desires men of such men as will [illegible] the bosses, hence primaries and boards of [illegible] hence [illegible] bench [illegible] and hence [illegible] effective opposition [illegible] of constitutional [illegible] (or gov-

ernment by corruption. The corporations are banded together like so many adventurers in a savage land. The political blackmailer is always hovering near them, ready to shoot, and the instinct of self-defense prompts them to act as a unit. They are very powerful, and since the policy of systematic corruption has given them control of the machinery of government, they prefer things as they are to experiments which might be dangerous. Besides, men ambitious of office, even the highest, are more than willing to postpone reform until they have got what they want. The bosses in their instruments of this self-protecting wealth and this unscrupulous ambition and in fighting against change the bosses are fighting for life. So it comes that those who are classed as our very best citizens, the men who own the most property, who speak with the greatest authority, who dominate us socially as well as financially, are the promoters and upholders of a state of things politically that is profoundly criminal. Of course in this San Francisco is not peculiar. As it is here, so it is in every large city in the Union. And the most hopeless feature about it is that the criminal rich feel no sense of criminality. Their view of themselves, ordinarily, is that they are victims of the predatory politicians, for whose existence they are chiefly responsible.

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Henry Norman, the correspondent of the London Chronicle, who has been figuring as an international peacemaker, taking the American side in the Venezuela matter, will hardly stave off war unless he has changed very much since he illumined San Francisco with his presence eight years ago. He was not then a gentleman of the sort calculated to impress statesmen and influence the policies of the great powers. A very well-dressed light-stepping young man he was, with a pointed beard and his mustache carefully curled in the Mephistophelian fashion. What interested me in him was the information, given by several of his former college mates, that shortly after graduating from Harvard he became a Unitarian minister and preached very good sermons indeed. I tried to detect clerical traces in him, but there were none. His appetite for good dinners was excellent. He enjoyed the gayeties of the fast newspaper set, and altogether was one of the boys—though always in his bright, hard eye there was a look which betokened that Mr Norman never for an instant forgot in the pleasures of the moment the solider interests of Mr. Norman. The experienced San Francisco newspaper man does not readily open his arms to brilliant young gentlemen from London and other far distant points on the earth's surface—young gentlemen who tell of their feats in journalism, apparel themselves sumptuously, understand cookery and are familiar with the different shades of excellence in wines.

Very few journalists anywhere can come honestly by such knowledge and tastes.

Lots of queer characters drift to San Francisco now as in earlier days. It is still a jumping off place. And when an Englishman of education with a good wardrobe and costly habits in food and drink turns up it is commonly safe to classify him as a black sheep, to which the winds of respectability have been unkind at home. If he is a journalist you are warranted in suspecting a mercenary marriage with an actress, a little forgery, perhaps, or crooked card-playing, or some other peculiarity that has deprived him of social position and driven him into a calling for which quick wits rather than regular training fit a man. The type is painfully familiar here: the bright, good-humored, self-indulgent fellow, full of bonhomie, but shrewd and cynical and shallow—half Bohemian, half confidence man. Of course I don't say that the Rev Mr. Norman was that sort of a person, but he looked it. He did nothing dishonest while here and proved that he was a journalist by his writing, but he did something that embarrassed young Mr. Hearst of the Examiner exceedingly.

The two had dined together repeatedly. The managing editor became fearful that Norman was a candidate for his place, and at the first opportunity drove his jealous sword into him. An amusing story appeared recounting how the Englishman while out sailing on the bay with a lady of much local renown and no reputation, had, under the double stimulus of champagne and gallantry, dived into the deep when by way of challenge she threw her handkerchief overboard. As Mr. Norman had sunk the Rev. and was knocking about as a newspaper correspondent and man of the world, there was nothing discreditable in this little adventure. It was unfair to put it in print and still more unfair to insinuate that he was not what he asserted himself to be professionally. Mr. Hearst acted promptly. He discharged his managing editor, wrote a note of regret to Mr Norman, issued orders for an editorial apology and left town. The apology in the Examiner and Mr. Hearst's feeling note in the Chronicle were printed simultaneously, the latter in large, vengeful and triumphant type. That wasn't nice of Mr. Norman. He could hardly pretend to standing as a gentleman here and afterwards got the cold shoulder. So he went to Japan, about which he wrote a book, for he is an industrious man, and later married the young lady who tramped through the Carpathian mountains in breeches and published a volume in celebration of her feat. Mr. Norman loves change and excitement and is an excellent newspaper correspondent, but he is not a heavyweight intellectually or otherwise, and I doubt very much if it will be safe for the United States government to trust very much to his influence with Lord Salisbury in changing that nobleman's views as to the Venezuelan boundary. George Alfred Townsend, I should say, carries a good many more guns in this country (and certainly Gath is not a journalistic battleship) than the adventurous and volatile Norman does in England.

Church people who can measure consequences are appalled at the mess that is being made of the case of the Rev Dr Brown. The public convicted him weeks ago on the evidence printed, yet the brethren, clerical and lay, who have been selected to try him, hold back, shuffle, offer prayers for him, and in all ways display reluctance to bring his reverence to book. Indeed, they seem disposed to let Dr Brown superintend the arrangements for his own trial, both as to time and manner. Meantime Miss Mattie Overman, the co-respondent, remains in the parsonage, under charge of the accused clergyman, and he guards her from intercourse with reporters and others, as if he owned her. The impudence of the thing does not appear to have impressed itself upon the brethren, but the worldly marvel and even admire. The girl is necessarily the chief witness against him, and her own letters are in proof of what were the relations between the two. That he should keep the girl in his house and stand guard over her without disguise is audacious enough, but that it should be given out, officially and calmly, that in addition to preparing his own statement, he is assisting her in the composition of hers, which is to explain away the letters, surpasses in cheek anything that desperation has suggested to the doctor since he was found out. It is to the credit of a large proportion of the members of the First Congregational Church that they are in rebellion. They stay away from service and object to the sympathy for Dr. Brown, the extraordinary willingness to accommodate him, exhibited by the men who are to be his judges. It will not surprise should there be an effort at white-washing, but that will do the man no good. Whatever the outcome of the ecclesiastical trial is Dr Brown will have to leave his church and San Francisco. The feeling against him extends to other churches than his own, for sensible men and women of the congregations understand what a blow this scandal has been to religion. They also understand that the excessive tenderness shown Brown by his deacons and brother preachers has done a world of harm that might have been prevented. Women are especially disgusted with this erring minister, for in addition to what has been printed much private history of his affairs is floating about, and it is apparent that Dr. Brown, besides being extremely sinful, had no taste whatever. The crowd of females with whom he got himself entangled prove to have been a very low and very hard crowd indeed.

One of the clergymen who is to be on the court and who has in interviews evinced an inclination to acquit Brown in advance, is himself on the edge of a precipice. I have seen a letter, properly signed, accusing him of having scared and horrified one of the sisters of his church by his conduct. She called on him in his study for advice, and, at parting, her pastor seized both her hands and kissed her. She made her escape. This story is in possession of the newspapers, but as the lady declines to see reporters and wants no publicity it has not been used. Unless she should show a readiness to come out and confirm what she has told her friends, the clergyman will be allowed to take his seat in the church tribunal and do his friend Dr. Brown good service. He is an old preacher, too, and highly respected. It would take very straight proof to make his congregation believe that he is a sinner. The public of course is incapable just now of being astonished or shocked by anything in the way of such revelations. As I heard it remarked the other day, by a scoffer, "it is as much as any man's character is worth to be a preacher in San Francisco at present."

ARTHUR McEWEN.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The good news comes from Oakland that Mayor Davie has not been read out of the Populist party. Should he be fired there would not be much to quarrel over, and that would disrupt the organization quicker than anything else.—Alameda Argus.

The Baron Baroteau of Oakland asks for a divorce from the Baroness because she drinks too much liquor, dances the skirt dance and turns the hose on his baronial person. The first counts in the indictment may be considered prerogatives of royalty, but the hose act would appear to be going a little too far, even in the wide latitude allowed for the eccentricity of rank and blue blood. If the Baron can prove the latter charge, he ought to have his divorce.—Stockton Independent.

We wish our worthy Health Officer, Dr. John T. McLean, God speed and good luck on his trip to Washington; and may he return to us with victory inscribed upon his banner. The doctor is certainly thoroughly posted regarding the harbor and tidal canal matters, and that he will be an able and earnest advocate in behalf of the people of Alameda and Oakland goes without saying.—Alameda Encinal.

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Next Monday and Tuesday evenings Schillings' Minstrels will give two performances at the Macdonough at popular prices.

Lew Spencer and Charley Schilling will take care of the outside ends. Mr Spencer will sing a very funny song entitled "I Wish I Were a Bird," and Mr Schilling will sing "I Wonder If They Are." "Gaily The Troubadour," introducing Messrs Spencer, Carroll and Nealy, is a fitting and laughing finale to the first part.

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The programme will close with the wonderful European acrobats, Brothers La Rose, who will introduce their great passing somersault, a feat accomplished by no other acrobatic team in the world.

COMING EVENTS.

It is promised that the presentation of "In Old Kentucky," which is announced for February 3d, 4th and 5th, will eclipse even its immense success last season. A popular matinee will be given on Wednesday.

Louis James follows the same week, February 6th, 7th and 8th, presenting his entire repertoire. He will also play a matinee Saturday.

For Monday, February 10th, the reappearance of the Frawley Company is announced in a special production of the great play "Men and Women." The occasion is a testimonial benefit tendered to Manager Charles E. Cook. The high reputation of the players and the popularity of the beneficiary will attract a crowded house. Tickets are now on sale at the box office.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Managers Collins and Waldron have in store for next week a mammoth revival of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," without question the most lasting and popular play of the American stage. A splendid production is promised. The cast will include Jennie Calef as "Chloe" and "Topsy," Annie Mullin, Mamie Axtell, Anna Daly, Mabel Carlton, Andy Waldron as "Marks," Norval McGregor as "George Harris," George Hermance as "Uncle Tom," Frank Cleaves as "Simon Legree" and Phineas Fletcher, with eight other performers to fill the cast. A feature will be the celebrated Hicks-Sawyer Quartette, and also the Sunset Team in buck and wing dancing. The scenic effects will be fully equal to the splendid cast.

THE CALIFORNIA.

The splendid success of "In Old Kentucky" last season is being repeated at the California. Packed houses have been the rule and the coming week shows signs of no abatement in the attendance.

THE COLUMBIA.

The first productions of De Mille and Belasco's masterpiece "Men and Women" will mark the week commencing Monday night at the Columbia Theater. The Frawley Company has been especially strengthened for the occasion. Twenty-six people are in the cast. The play deals with the inner workings of a bank. The trials of a trusted cashier, a threatened panic and a series of intensely dramatic incidents form features of the play. It will be a banner week for the company.

THE ORPHEUM.

The programme at the Orpheum is unusually bright and the star attraction is Rachael Walker, the creole nightingale, who is the musical sensation of the week. The De Vans and De Witts are female teams whose acts are very novel. The bill throughout is thoroughly entertaining.

MOROSCO'S.

"The Editor," a successful comedy-drama by Vincent and Aldrich, will be the card next week at Morosco's. It deals with a love story, involving a plot of keen interest. Life in an Arizona newspaper office is a feature of the play.

THE TIVOLI.

"Ixion" loses nothing in its popularity. The run of this beautiful opera has been phenomenal and Tivoli audiences test the capacity of the house nightly.

THE ALCAZAR.

"A Canting Scoundrel" is the sensational title of a play the Grovers will present next week. The reputation of the Grovers insures an entertaining production.

WIDEN THE ROAD.

A San Leandro Pioneer on the Recent Electric Road Trouble.

Editor Tribune—Sir: Allow one who, after regularly paying his half a dollar ferry fare from San Francisco to San Antonio, used to stick on the bar occasionally for hours on board of Larue's ferry boat Contra Costa, and then stick in the mud along the San Leandro road on board the coaches of "Charlie" McLaughlin, "Dunk" Cameron and "Jim" Linfoot (fare, four bits), and arrive weary and bedraggled at his home in the old county seat several hours after leaving the other side of the bay, to say a word in the Tribune about the present situation. Keeping to the front with the discoveries, inventions and progress of the times, five enterprising gentlemen of this county, four of them Native Sons, to the manner born, incorporated and gave us a "poor man's palace car" to ride in, and in connection with the magnificent ferry service, made the regular trip to San Francisco a "pleasure trip" and our town a suburb of the great metropolis.

These young men were among the first to see electricity to be the coming driving power. They saw, too, that to build a trolley railway from Oakland to Haywards would be a good investment for themselves, and a great benefit to the locality. This much to prepare the way to say a word or two as to the trouble at San Leandro last Wednesday. It all happened because the street is not wide enough, now that a double track is wanted. In San Leandro, perhaps, the remedy lies in using two streets for the track, instead of one, but the whole distance from Fruitvale to the San Lorenzo junction, at least, is no longer a "county road," but in act a street, should be widened to one hundred feet or provision made for doing so.

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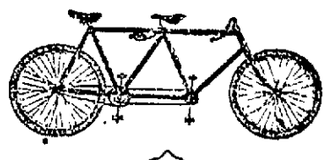

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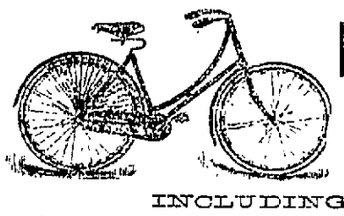

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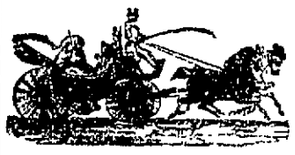

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